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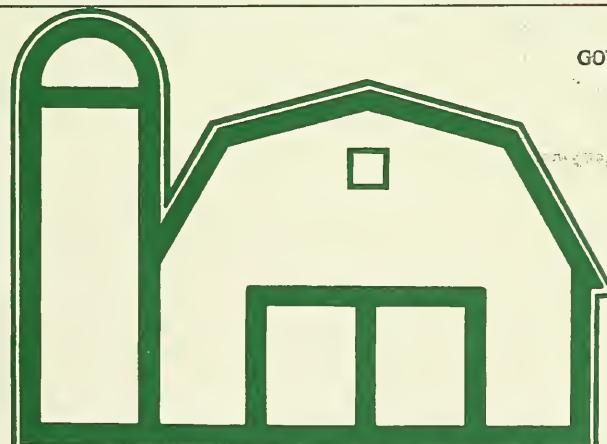
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HISTORY

The 1987 census is the 11th census of agriculture of the Virgin Islands. The first, taken in 1917, was a special census authorized by the Secretary of Commerce. The next agriculture census was taken in 1930 in conjunction with the decennial census, a practice that continued every 10 years through 1960. The 1964 Census of Agriculture was the first quinquennial (5-year) census to be taken in the Virgin Islands. For the quinquennial census of 1969, the data were collected in 1970 in conjunction with the 1970 Censuses of Population and Housing. The 1974 census was taken independently of any other censuses. In 1976, Congress authorized the census of agriculture to be taken for 1978 and 1982 to adjust the data reference year to coincide with the 1982 Economic Censuses covering manufacturing, mining, construction, retail trade, wholesale trade, service industries, and selected transportation activities. After 1982, the agriculture census reverted to a 5-year cycle to be taken covering years ending in "2" and "7."

USES OF THE CENSUS

The census of agriculture is the recognized source of statistics about the Virgin Island's agricultural production and the only source of consistent, comparable data at the island level. Census statistics are used to measure agricultural production and to identify trends in an ever changing agricultural sector. Many local programs use census data as a benchmark for designing and evaluating surveys. Private industry uses census statistics to provide a more effective production and distribution system for the agricultural community.

AUTHORITY AND AREA COVERED

The 1987 Census of Agriculture was taken in accordance with the provisions of Title 13, United States Code. Sections 142(a) and 191 provide for a census of agriculture every 5 years in each State, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, Guam, and the Virgin Islands of the United States. The census data for the Virgin Islands may be collected by the Governor or a representative from his/her staff to act as census supervisor, in accordance with a Memorandum of Agreement prescribed or approved by the Director of the Bureau of the Census.

FARM DEFINITION

The data presented in this report relate to places qualifying as farms for census purposes. For the 1987 Census of Agriculture in the Virgin Islands, a farm was defined as any place from which \$100 or more of agricultural products were sold or normally would have been sold during the census year. This is a definitional change from 1982. For 1982, a farm was defined as a "place" of 3 acres or more on which any field or forage crops were harvested or vegetables were harvested for sale during the 12-month period between July 1, 1982, and June 30, 1983, or on which there was a combined total of 10 or more fruit or nut trees or plants, any livestock, or 10 or more poultry at the time of enumeration. Places of less than 3 acres were counted as farms if their sales of agricultural products between July 1, 1982, and June 30, 1983, amounted to at least \$100, or if they could normally be expected to produce agricultural products in sufficient quantity to provide sales amounting to at least \$100.

COMPARABILITY OF DATA

Comparability of data from the 1987 Census of Agriculture in the Virgin Islands has been slightly affected by improvements in the coverage of the operators' list and improved techniques of training enumerators. In general, data from the 1987 census are comparable with those of previous censuses.

TABULAR PRESENTATION

The detailed tables in this report give totals for St. Croix, St. John, St. Thomas, and for the Virgin Islands, as a whole.

CENSUS DISCLOSURE RULES

In keeping with the provisions of Title 13, United States Code, no data are published that would disclose the operations of an individual farm. However, the number of farms in a given size category or other classification is not considered a disclosure, so this information may be given even though other information is withheld.

DEFINITIONS AND EXPLANATIONS

Appendix A includes definitions and explanations of selected terms used in the tables. Appendix B displays a bridge table of selected items with the 1987 census data by the new definition, and the 1982 data by both the 1987 definition and the 1982 definition. The 1987 report form is shown in appendix C.

DOLLAR VALUES

All dollar values presented in this report are expressed in current dollars, i.e., 1987 data are expressed in 1987 dollars and 1982 data in 1982 dollars. The dollar values have not been adjusted for changes in price levels between census years.

INVENTORIES, PRODUCTION, AND SALES DATA

Inventories of livestock, poultry, and machinery and equipment are the number on hand at the time of enumeration. Crop production, crop and livestock sales, and expense data are for the 12-month period between July 1, 1987, and June 30, 1988.

ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS

The following abbreviations and symbols are used throughout the tables:

- Represents zero.
- (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.
- (X) Not applicable.
- (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.
- (NA) Not available.

ISLAND MAP

THE VIRGIN ISLANDS OF THE UNITED STATES

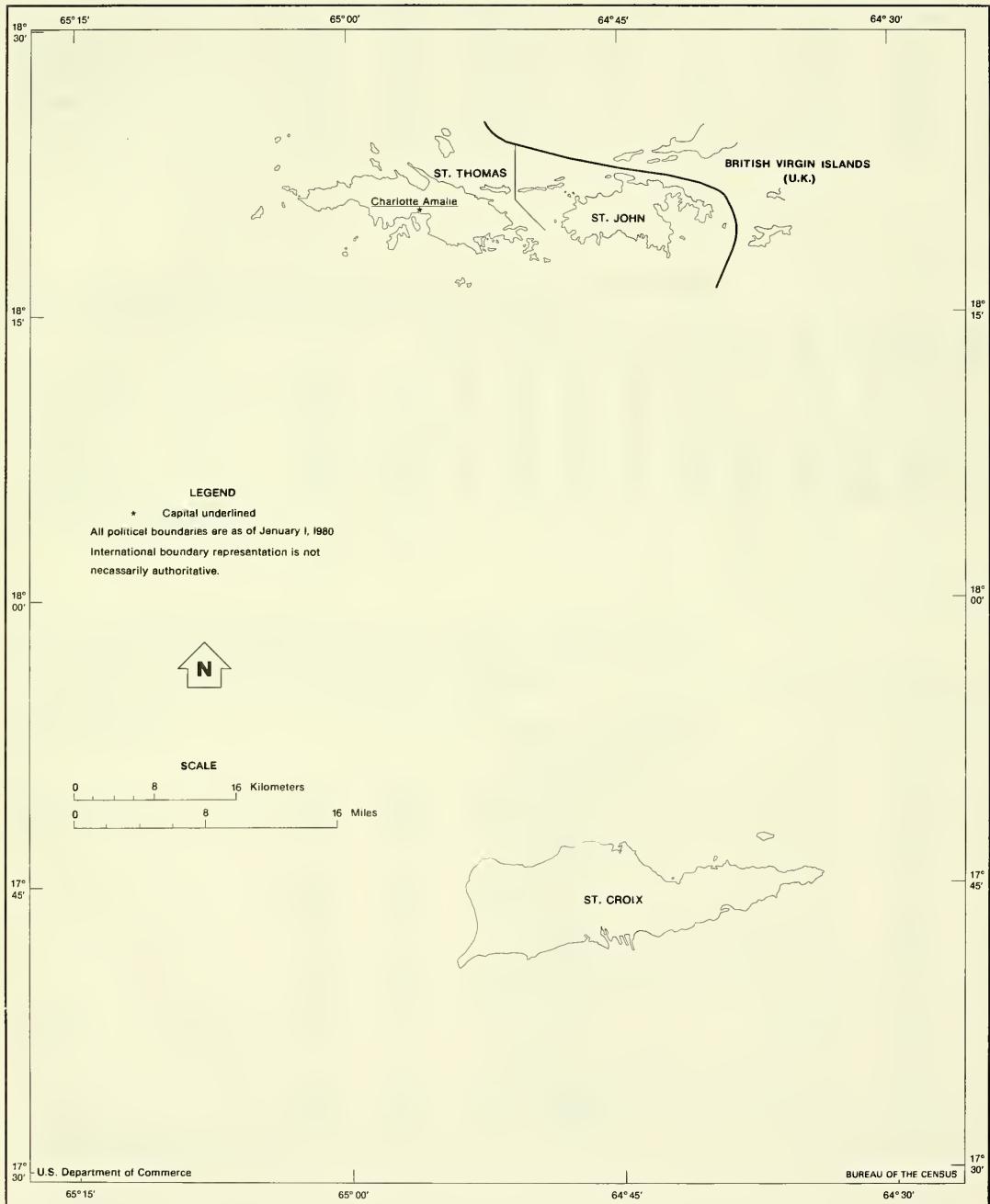


Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Farms	1987	1982	Farms	1987	1982
Farms.....	267	259	Total cropland—Con.		
Land in farms.....	17 785	17 778	Other.....	49	48
Average size of farm.....	66.6	68.6	farms.....	1 291	879
Approximate land area.....	85 120	85 120	acres.....	154	148
Proportion in farms.....	20.9	20.9	farms.....	13 390	13 368
Total cropland.....	206	201	acres.....	1 836	1 604
Harvested.....	1 899	1 569	Woodland.....	49	38
	200	196	acres.....	192	199
	608	690	Other land.....	660	1 237

¹Detail may not add to total due to rounding.

Table 2. Farms and Land in Farms by Size of Farm: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Farms	Total	Less than 3 acres	3 to 9 acres	10 to 19 acres	20 to 49 acres	50 to 99 acres	100 to 174 acres	175 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 acres or more
Farms.....	267	80	81	32	37	16	6	4	5	3	3
1982.....	259	75	90	24	28	16	10	4	6	4	2
Percent of farms.....											
1987.....	100.0	30.0	30.3	12.0	13.9	6.0	2.2	1.5	1.9	1.1	1.1
1982.....	100.0	29.0	34.7	9.3	10.8	6.2	3.9	1.5	2.3	1.5	.8
Land in farms ¹	acres.....	17 785	112	457	408	1 115	1 198	740	865	1 811	2 036
1982.....	17 778	(D)	470	317	840	1 044	1 207	873	2 318	3 060	(D)
Percent distribution.....											
1987.....	100.0	.6	2.6	2.3	6.3	6.7	4.2	4.9	10.2	11.4	50.9
1982.....	100.0	(D)	2.6	1.8	4.7	5.9	6.8	4.9	13.0	17.2	(D)
Average size of farm.....	acres.....	66.6	1.4	5.6	12.8	30.1	74.9	123.3	216.3	362.2	678.7
1987.....	68.6	(D)	5.2	13.2	30.0	65.3	120.7	218.3	386.3	765.0	3 015.0

¹Detail may not add to total due to rounding.

Table 3. Tenure and Characteristics of Operators: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1987	1982	Item	1987	1982	
TENURE OF OPERATOR						
Operators.....			OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
farms.....	267	259	Operators by place of residence:			
acres.....	17 785	17 778	On farm operated.....	189	209	
Total cropland.....	206	201	Not on farm operated.....	78	50	
farms.....	1 899	1 569	Operators by years on present farm:			
acres.....			Less than 2 years.....	25	25	
Full owners.....	201	207	2 to 9 years.....	27	44	
farms.....	6 478	7 219	5 to 9 years.....	50	42	
acres.....			10 years or more.....	165	148	
Total cropland.....	156	168	Operators by place of birth:			
farms.....	820	1 250	Virgin Islands.....	166	168	
acres.....			Puerto Rico.....	11	22	
Part owners.....	36	27	Elsewhere.....	90	69	
farms.....	9 962	9 793	Operators by age group:			
acres.....			Under 25 years.....	1	6	
Total cropland.....	27	20	25 to 34 years.....	19	12	
farms.....	623	269	35 to 44 years.....	34	49	
acres.....			45 to 54 years.....	63	55	
Tenants.....	23	24	55 to 64 years.....	55	76	
farms.....	1 934	(D)	65 years and over.....	85	60	
acres.....			Average age.....	57	54	
Total cropland.....	18	12	Operators by main occupation:			
farms.....	438	(D)	Agricultural.....	159	115	
acres.....			acres.....	14	259	
Managers.....	7	1	None.....	108	144	
farms.....	291	(D)	Nonagricultural.....	3 243	2 519	
acres.....			acres.....			
Total cropland.....	5	1	Operators by days of work off farm:			
farms.....	19	(D)	None.....	94	94	
acres.....			Any.....	173	165	
Tenants.....	23	24	1 to 49 days.....	13	13	
farms.....	1 934	(D)	50 to 99 days.....	1	3	
acres.....			100 to 149 days.....	15	4	
Total cropland.....	18	12	150 to 199 days.....	18	27	
farms.....	438	(D)	200 days or more.....	119	118	

¹Detail may not add to total due to rounding.

Table 4. Farm Characteristics: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1987	1982	Item	1987	1982	
LABOR STATUS						
Farms	266	259	Wells	111	141	
workers	660	643	number	202	221	
Unpaid labor	247	239	farms	156	118	
farms	243	239	Reporting no wells			
workers	429	429				
Less than 25 days	14	5	F FARMS BY SPECIFIED FACILITIES—Con.			
workers	19	(D)	farms			
25 to 149 days	43	29	number			
farms	66	(D)	farms			
150 days or more	212	225	Home consumption holding	44	48	
farms	349	373	Sale holding	223	211	
Hired farm labor	106	76	Vegetable	31	14	
farms	226	214	Field and forage crop	3	7	
Less than 25 days	21	2	Fruit and nut	43	56	
workers	28	(D)	Dairy	6	5	
25 to 149 days	42	22	Livestock	100	109	
farms	62	65	Poultry	3	5	
150 days or more	51	49	Nursery	8	3	
workers	136	(D)	Mixed	29	10	
Not reported	1	-	Other	-	2	
SELECTED EQUIPMENT						
Tractors of all kinds	44	47	F FARMS BY TYPE OF HOLDING			
farms	76	111	Home consumption holding	224	211	
number	145	160	Sale holding	15	31	
Motortrucks	174	219	Vegetable	16	7	
farms	136	126	Field and forage crop	12	10	
Automobiles	160	161	Fruit and nut			
farms			Dairy			
F FARMS BY SPECIFIED FACILITIES						
Electricity	228	224	Livestock			
No electricity	39	35	Poultry			
Piped running water	215	223	Nursery			
No piped running water	52	36	Mixed			

Table 5. Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Farms		Value (dollars)		Item	Farms		Value (dollars)	
	1987	1982	1987	1982		1987	1982	1987	1982
Total sales	267	259	2 685 351	2 391 506	Sales by commodity group or product:				
Average per farm	(X)	(X)	10 057	9 234	Forage, field, and vegetable crops	93	68	399 221	(D)
Farms by value of sales:					Sales of \$500 or more	56	28	390 907	204 972
\$100 to \$499	85	68	18 885	16 676	Fruits and nuts	140	127	146 817	
\$500 to \$1,199	53	69	40 081	55 106	Sales of \$500 or more	60	69	132 515	133 741
\$1,200 to \$2,499	40	54	69 383	91 383	Ornamental plants and other nursery	19	9	241 230	89 700
\$2,500 to \$4,999	33	27	111 346	92 571	products	12	7	239 950	88 200
\$5,000 to \$7,499	13	8	74 772	46 961	Livestock	150	165	838 554	705 629
\$7,500 to \$9,999	8	4	67 699	35 365	Sales of \$500 or more	98	119	826 306	695 819
\$10,000 or more	35	29	2 303 185	2 053 444	Milk	6	10	1 042 698	922 630
					Sales of \$500 or more	6	7	16 831	315 586
					Poultry and eggs	30	21	13 427	312 245
					Sales of \$500 or more	8	8		

Table 6. Selected Farm Production Expenses: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Farms		Expenses (dollars)		Item	Farms		Expenses (dollars)	
	1987	1982	1987	1982		1987	1982	1987	1982
Machine hire and customwork	94	98	120 640	123 015	Insecticides, fungicides, and herbicides	115	59	46 436	74 467
Expenses of \$100 or more	87	84	120 220	122 236	Expenses of \$100 or more	71	29	44 506	73 196
Hired farm labor	106	75	896 660	887 029	Fertilizers and manure purchased	88	88	34 899	(D)
Expenses of \$100 or more	105	74	(D)	(D)	Expenses of \$100 or more	46	44	34 057	65 536
Feed purchased for livestock and poultry	148	173	742 512	(D)	Livestock and poultry purchased	43	54	66 495	(D)
Expenses of \$100 or more	140	164	742 018	978 756	Expenses of \$100 or more	40	44	66 340	70 519

Table 7. Forage, Field, and Vegetable Crops: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Crop	1987	1982	Crop	1987	1982
FORAGE CROPS					
Sugarcane	farms	12	10	Other field crops	7
Planted	acres	5	3	acres	181
For cutting	acres	3	3	pounds harvested	683 116
For grazing	acres	1	-	pounds	81 135
For cutting and grazing	acres	1	-	dollars	3 107
Sales	dollars	4 775	1 925		365
Sorghum	farms	2	3		
Planted	acres	(D)	403		
For cutting	acres	(D)	103		
For grazing	acres	(D)	300		
For cutting and grazing	acres	-	-		
Sales	dollars	(D)	-		
FIELD CROPS—Con.					
	farms		acres	7	5
	acres		acres	181	3
	pounds harvested		pounds harvested	683	1820
	acres		dollars	81	670
	dollars		dollars	3	365
VEGETABLE CROPS					
Cassava	farms	43	42	Cabbages	13
	acres	(D)	(D)	acres	3
	pounds harvested	15 264	14 733	Sales	1 849
Sales	acres	9 845	11 803	dollars	1 099
	pounds	5 120	5 761		
Dry beans	farms	15	20	Carrots	15
	acres	(D)	(D)	acres	2
	pounds harvested	2 527	1 455	Sales	1 767
Sales	acres	1 065	699	dollars	1 815
	pounds	765	-		
Dry corn	farms	12	22	Celery	20
	acres	(D)	(D)	acres	3
	pounds harvested	2 238	3 788	Sales	8 475
Sales	acres	1 560	1 246	dollars	12 950
	pounds	989	573		
Sorghum for grain	farms	1	-	Cucumbers	14
	acres	(D)	-	acres	6
	pounds harvested	(D)	-	Sales	29 771
Sales	acres	(D)	-	dollars	20 975
	pounds	-	-		
Sweetpotatoes	farms	36	35	Eggplant	33
	acres	8	9	acres	6
	pounds harvested	7 919	10 035	Sales	14 741
Sales	acres	3 676	6 960	dollars	8 513
	pounds	2 388	3 310		
Taniers	farms	17	9	Green beans	10
	acres	2	2	acres	1
	pounds harvested	1 610	1 720	Sales	2 342
Sales	acres	452	1 110	dollars	4 810
	pounds	226	542		
Yams	farms	17	25	Lettuce	13
	acres	3	5	acres	8
	pounds harvested	3 582	7 165	Sales	49 513
Sales	acres	1 385	4 614	dollars	7 820
	pounds	827	2 935		
	dollars	-	-	Okra	26
				acres	11
				Sales	5 470
				dollars	2 870
				Onions	25
				acres	3
				Sales	16 288
				dollars	51 450
				Peppers	38
				acres	8
				Sales	5 203
				dollars	2 554
				Spinach	15
				acres	3
				Sales	25 056
				dollars	4 398
				Squash	20
				acres	8
				Sales	11 999
				dollars	2 770
				Tomatoes	24
				acres	16
				Sales	113 664
				dollars	33 710
				Other vegetables	20
				acres	4
				Sales	68 836
				dollars	40 261

Table 8. Fruits, Nuts, and Ornamental Plants and Other Nursery Products: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Crop	1987	1982	Crop	1987	1982
Lend in bearing and nonbearing fruit trees and plants			Mangoes		
farms..	181	187	farms..	146	163
acres..	347	479	trees not of bearing age..	971	1 950
Avocados			trees of bearing age..	2 881	2 790
farms..	137	143	number harvested..	171 104	205 041
trees not of bearing age..	807	1 008	Sales ..	128 640	(D)
trees of bearing age..	1 449	1 104	number ..	44 007	(D)
number harvested..	41 206	31 284	Sales ..	57	75
Sales ..			trees not of bearing age..	516	354
number ..	32 494	25 203	trees of bearing age..	469	378
dollars..	23 914	14 793	pounds harvested..	7 331	5 419
Bananas			Sales ..	3 620	2 340
farms..	120	149	pounds ..	1 668	1 115
hills not of bearing age..	6 348	7 317	dollars..		
hills of bearing age..	6 708		Papayas ..	76	77
bunches harvested..	5 881		trees not of bearing age..	350	388
Sales ..			trees of bearing age..	937	1 035
bunches..	4 666		pounds harvested..	9 588	4 175
dollars..	38 891		Sales ..	7 466	2 066
Coconuts			pounds ..	5 430	1 127
farms..	123	128	dollars..		
trees not of bearing age..	3 193	2 685	Pineapples ..	31	24
trees of bearing age..	2 011	2 091	plants not of bearing age..	556	789
number harvested..	19 977		plants of bearing age..	774	1 405
Sales ..			boxes harvested..	125	171
number ..	13 070		Sales ..	101	28
dollars..	11 979		boxes ..	1 742	115
Grapefruit			Plantains ..		
farms..	49	53	trees not of bearing age..	26	31
trees not of bearing age..	250	243	trees of bearing age..	148	422
trees of bearing age..	166	250	bunches harvested..	97	1 405
pounds harvested..	3 419	4 278	Sales ..	111	919
Sales ..			bunches ..	84	849
pounds..	2 009	2 490	dollars..	668	6 860
dollars..	1 484	1 247	Other fruits, nuts, and tree crops ..		
Limes and lemons			Sales ..	83	41
farms..	116	123	plants and trees not of bearing age..	287	81
trees not of bearing age..	387	382	plants and trees of bearing age..	2 078	420
trees of bearing age..	905	987	number harvested..	26 974	1 814
pounds harvested..	11 359	7 686	Sales ..	21 962	756
Sales ..			number ..	11 723	483
pounds..	7 293	3 255	dollars..		
dollars..	5 311	2 183	Ornamental plants and other nursery products ..		
			Sales ..	19	10
			sq ft under cover ..	54 650	28 390
			acres..	12	2
			dollars..	241 230	89 700

Table 9. Livestock, Poultry, and Their Products: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	1987	1982	Item	1987	1982		
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS							
Horses, colts, and ponies	28 farms number Sales	24 224 farms 3 number dollars	125 13 13 5 750	Cattle and calves	95 farms number Sales	90 5 078 farms 70 number dollars	5 578 51 613 392 486 633
Mules, asses, and burros	1 farms number Sales	2 (D)	— — — —	Cows	77 farms number Sales	79 2 499 farms 2 499 number dollars	3 031 3 031 186 219 114 150
Sheep and lambs	54 farms number Sales	60 3 134 farms 28 number dollars	2 814 46 629 50 736	Heifers and heifer calves 1 year old or older	65 farms number Sales	53 1 130 farms 312 number dollars	1 249 282 127 773 100 755
Goats and kids	93 farms number Sales	112 3 315 farms 64 number dollars	3 633 74 914 47 150	Bulls, bull calves, steers, and steer calves 1 year old or older	66 farms number Sales	68 488 farms 479 number dollars	845 498 266 147 244 228
Hogs and pigs	62 farms number Sales	87 2 536 farms 44 number dollars	80 62 1 424 125 226	Calves under 1 year old	57 farms number Sales	54 961 farms 313 number dollars	453 272 33 253 29 500
Under 8 months old	56 farms number Sales	71 1 378 farms 645 number dollars	70 822 42 456	Livestock sales	150 farms number Sales	165 838 554 farms 6 number dollars	705 629 10 1 042 698 1 858 145 922 830
8 months old or older	58 farms number Sales	77 1 158 farms 779 number dollars	(D) 691 67 888	Chickens	65 farms number Sales	55 (D) 14 number dollars	5 326 12 1 665 2 276 farms 5 number dollars
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS							
Chickens							
Turkeys, ducks, geese, and other poultry	21 farms number Sales	17 727 farms 5 number dollars	17 366 farms 3 number dollars	21 farms number Sales	12 14 number dollars	12 20 071 15 216	
Chicken egg sales	22 farms number Sales	15 11 279 farms 5 number dollars	15 366 farms 3 number dollars	22 farms number Sales	15 13 542 farms 345 number dollars	15 284 107 299 375	
Poultry and egg sales	30 farms number Sales	21 16 831 farms 30 number dollars	21 995 farms 30 number dollars	30 farms number Sales	21 16 831 farms 30 number dollars	21 315 566	

Table 10. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use, by Islands: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Farms	Virgin Islands		Saint Croix		Saint John and Saint Thomas	
	1987	1982	1987	1982	1987	1982
Farms -----	267	259	168	181	99	78
Land in farms ¹ -----	17 785	17 778	16 132	15 689	1 654	2 089
Cropland -----	206	201	127	147	79	54
farms -----	1 899	1 569	1 619	1 223	280	346
Harvested -----	200	196	122	144	78	52
acres -----	608	690	453	527	156	163
Other -----	49	48	36	41	13	7
acres -----	1 291	879	1 167	696	125	183
Pasture or grazing land -----	154	148	106	104	48	44
farms -----	13 390	13 368	12 289	12 117	1 101	1 251
acres -----	1 899	1 898	1 654	1 278	182	326
Woodland -----	1 836	1 604	1 654	1 278	182	326
farms -----	192	199	127	143	65	56
acres -----	660	1 237	570	1 071	90	167

¹ Detail may not add to total due to rounding.

Table 11. Size of Farm by Islands: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Farms	Virgin Islands		Saint Croix		Saint John and Saint Thomas	
	1987	1982	1987	1982	1987	1982
Farms -----	267	259	168	181	99	78
number-----						
acres ¹ -----	17 785	17 778	16 132	15 689	1 654	2 089
Farms by size:						
Less than 3 acres -----	80	75	45	54	35	21
number-----						
acres-----	112	(D)	(D)	82	(D)	(D)
3 to 9 acres -----	81	90	45	55	36	35
number-----						
acres-----	457	470	253	300	204	170
10 to 19 acres -----	32	24	18	18	14	6
number-----						
acres-----	408	317	232	241	176	76
20 to 49 acres -----	37	28	28	21	9	7
number-----						
acres-----	1 115	840	881	674	234	166
50 to 99 acres -----	16	16	13	14	3	2
number-----						
acres-----	1 198	1 044	964	(D)	234	(D)
100 to 174 acres -----	6	10	6	6	-	4
number-----						
acres-----	740	1 207	740	766	-	441
175 to 259 acres -----	4	4	3	2	1	2
number-----						
acres-----	865	873	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
260 to 499 acres -----	5	5	5	6	-	-
number-----						
acres-----	1 811	2 318	1 811	2 318	-	-
500 to 999 acres -----	3	4	2	3	1	1
number-----						
acres-----	2 036	3 060	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
1,000 acres or more -----	3	2	3	2	-	-
number-----						
acres-----	9 045	(D)	9 045	(D)	-	-

¹Detail may not add to total due to rounding.

Table 12. Type of Organization, Labor Status, and Type of Holdings, by Islands: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Farms	Virgin Islands		Saint Croix		Saint John and Saint Thomas	
	1987	1982	1987	1982	1987	1982
F FARMS BY TYPE OF ORGANIZATION						
Individual	224	211	134	143	90	68
Partnership	15	31	11	23	4	8
Corporation	16	7	12	6	4	1
Other	12	10	11	9	1	1
LABOR STATUS						
Farms	number workers	266 660	259 643	168 454	181 526	98 206
Unpaid labor	farms workers	247 434	239 429	154 296	162 329	93 138
Less than 25 days	farms workers	14 19	5 (D)	9 12	4 4	5 7
25 to 149 days	farms workers	43 66	29 (D)	17 30	25 41	26 36
150 days or more	farms workers	212 349	225 373	138 254	152 264	74 95
Hired farm labor	farms workers	106 226	76 214	62 158	65 197	44 68
Less than 25 days	farms workers	21 28	2 (D)	15 20	2 (D)	6 8
25 to 149 days	farms workers	42 62	32 65	20 29	29 61	22 33
150 days or more	farms workers	51 136	49 (D)	33 109	41 (D)	18 27
Not reported	farms	1	-	-	-	1
F FARMS BY TYPE OF HOLDING						
Home consumption holding		44	48	30	42	14
Sale holdings		223	211	138	139	85
Vegetable	farms	31	14	15	14	16
Field and forage crop	farms	3	7	2	7	1
Fruit and nut	farms	43	56	25	27	18
Dairy	farms	6	5	5	4	1
Livestock		100	109	68	69	32
Poultry		3	5	3	4	-
Nursery		8	3	5	3	3
Mixed		29	10	15	9	14
Other		-	2	-	2	-

Table 13. Farms, Land in Farms, and Tenure of Operator, by Islands: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Farms	Virgin Islands		Saint Croix		Saint John and Saint Thomas	
	1987	1982	1987	1982	1987	1982
Farms	number	267	259	168	181	99
Land in farms ¹	acres	17 785	17 778	16 132	15 669	1 654
Harvested cropland ¹	acres	608	690	453	527	156
Tenure of operator:						
Operators		267	259	168	181	99
Full owners		201	207	125	144	76
Part owners		36	27	23	22	11
Managers		7	1	5	1	2
Tenants		23	24	13	14	10
Land in farms (acres):						
Full owners		6 478	7 219	5 374	5 255	1 104
Part owners		9 952	9 793	9 806	9 709	157
Managers		291	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Tenants		1 054	(D)	(D)	(D)	42
Harvested cropland (acres):						
Full owners		370	513	252	374	118
Part owners		195	138	173	128	23
Managers		19	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Tenants		24	(D)	(D)	(D)	14

¹ Detail may not add to total due to rounding.

Table 14. Forage, Field, and Vegetable Crops, by Islands: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Crop	Virgin Islands		Saint Croix		Saint John and Saint Thomas	
	1987	1982	1987	1982	1987	1982
FORAGE CROPS						
Sugarcane	farms	12	10	3	8	9
Planted	acres	5	3	2	(D)	3
For cutting	acres	3	3	1	(D)	2
For grazing	acres	1	-	1	-	-
For cutting and grazing	acres	1	-	1	-	-
Sales	dollars	4 775	1 925	300	(D)	4 475
Sorghum	farms	2	3	2	3	-
Planted	acres	(D)	403	(D)	403	-
For cutting	acres	(D)	103	(D)	103	-
For grazing	acres	(D)	300	(D)	300	-
For cutting and grazing	acres	(D)	-	(D)	-	-
Sales	dollars	(D)	-	(D)	-	-
FIELD CROPS						
Cassava	farms	43	42	20	40	23
	acres	(D)	17	5	(D)	(D)
	pounds harvested	15 264	14 733	4 680	(D)	10 584
Sales	farms	30	23	11	22	19
	pounds	9 845	11 803	1 210	(D)	8 635
	dollars	5 120	5 761	626	(D)	4 494
Dry beans	farms	15	20	6	19	9
	acres	5	3	3	(D)	3
	pounds harvested	2 527	1 455	889	(D)	1 688
Sales	farms	5	9	-	9	5
	pounds	1 065	815	-	815	1 065
	dollars	765	699	-	699	765
Dry corn	farms	12	22	8	21	4
	acres	3	5	3	(D)	1
	pounds harvested	2 238	3 788	1 870	(D)	368
Sales	farms	9	8	5	8	4
	pounds	1 560	1 246	1 360	1 246	200
	dollars	989	573	838	573	151
Sorghum for grain	farms	1	-	1	-	-
	acres	(D)	-	(D)	-	-
Sales	farms	1	-	-	-	-
	pounds	(D)	-	(D)	-	-
	dollars	(D)	-	(D)	-	-
Sweetpotatoes	farms	36	35	18	33	18
	acres	6	9	4	(D)	4
	pounds harvested	7 918	10 035	3 780	(D)	4 100
Sales	farms	16	20	5	19	11
	pounds	3 676	6 960	635	(D)	3 041
	dollars	2 388	3 310	323	(D)	2 065
Taniers	farms	17	9	6	7	11
	acres	2	2	1	(D)	1
	pounds harvested	1 610	1 720	912	(D)	898
Sales	farms	5	4	3	2	2
	pounds	452	1 110	(D)	(D)	(D)
	dollars	226	542	(D)	(D)	(D)
Yams	farms	17	22	10	18	7
	acres	3	5	2	4	1
	pounds harvested	3 582	7 165	2 372	5 849	1 210
Sales	farms	9	11	4	5	5
	pounds	1 385	4 614	745	3 314	650
	dollars	827	2 935	357	2 335	470
Other field crops	farms	7	5	6	5	1
	acres	181	5	(D)	(D)	-
	pounds harvested	683 116	1 820	(D)	1 820	(D)
Sales	farms	4	3	4	3	-
	pounds	89 135	670	89 135	670	-
	dollars	3 107	385	3 107	385	-
VEGETABLE CROPS						
Cabbage	farms	13	8	6	7	7
	acres	3	2	1	(D)	2
Sales	farms	13	8	6	7	7
	dollars	1 849	1 099	728	(D)	1 121
Carrots	farms	15	6	5	6	10
	acres	2	2	1	(D)	1
Sales	farms	15	6	5	6	10
	dollars	1 767	1 815	780	1 815	987
Celery	farms	20	4	7	4	13
	acres	3	2	2	(D)	1
Sales	farms	20	4	7	4	13
	dollars	8 475	12 950	6 030	12 950	2 445
Cucumbers	farms	14	20	6	18	8
	acres	6	7	5	(D)	1
Sales	farms	14	20	6	18	8
	dollars	29 771	20 975	25 591	(D)	4 180
Eggplant	farms	33	24	14	22	19
	acres	6	4	3	(D)	2
Sales	farms	33	24	14	22	19
	dollars	14 741	8 513	10 977	(D)	3 764
Green beans	farms	10	8	5	7	5
	acres	1	2	1	(D)	1
Sales	farms	10	8	5	7	5
	dollars	2 342	4 810	1 501	(D)	841
Lettuce	farms	13	7	6	7	7
	acres	8	2	3	2	5
Sales	farms	13	7	6	7	7
	dollars	49 513	7 820	17 630	7 820	31 883
Okra	farms	36	26	15	25	21
	acres	11	7	9	(D)	(D)
Sales	farms	36	26	15	25	21
	dollars	5 470	2 870	2 660	(D)	2 810

Table 14. Forage, Field, and Vegetable Crops, by Islands: 1987 and 1982—Con.

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Crop	Virgin Islands		Saint Croix		Saint John and Saint Thomas	
	1987	1982	1987	1982	1987	1982
VEGETABLE CROPS—Con.						
Onions	farms	25	5	1	5	24
	acres	3	8	(D)	5	(D)
Sales	farms	25	5	1	5	24
	dollars	16 288	51 450	(D)	51 450	(D)
Peppers	farms	38	22	6	20	32
	acres	8	5	3	(D)	5
Sales	farms	38	22	6	20	32
	dollars	5 203	2 554	2 264	(D)	2 939
Spinach	farms	15	5	1	3	14
	acres	3	2	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sales	farms	15	5	1	3	14
	dollars	25 056	4 398	(D)	(D)	(D)
Squash	farms	20	10	6	7	14
	acres	8	2	2	2	2
Sales	farms	20	10	6	7	14
	dollars	11 935	2 770	10 815	2 370	1 184
Tomatoes	farms	24	23	9	22	15
	acres	16	8	12	(D)	5
Sales	farms	24	23	9	22	15
	dollars	113 664	33 710	77 515	(D)	36 149
Other vegetables	farms	20	7	13	7	7
	acres	4	8	3	8	1
Sales	farms	20	7	13	7	7
	dollars	68 836	40 261	61 222	40 261	7 614

Table 15. Fruits, Nuts, and Ornamental Plants and Other Nursery Products, by Islands: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Crop	Virgin Islands		Saint Croix		Saint John and Saint Thomas	
	1987	1982	1987	1982	1987	1982
Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit trees and plants	farms-- acres--	181 347	187 479	106 217	135 319	75 130
Avocados	farms-- trees not of bearing age-- trees of bearing age-- number harvested--	137 807 1 449	143 1 008 1 104	75 338 1 002	98 722 678	62 469 447
Sales	number-- dollars--	41 206 32 494	31 284 25 203	18 995 12 923	20 529 16 628	22 211 19 571
Bananas	farms-- hills not of bearing age-- hills of bearing age-- bunches harvested--	120 6 348 6 708	149 7 317 (D)	60 3 084 3 770	100 5 728 (D)	60 3 264 2 938
Sales	business-- dollars--	5 811 4 666	(D)	3 251 6 186	(D)	4 749 2 201
Coconuts	farms-- trees not of bearing age-- trees of bearing age-- number harvested--	123 3 193 2 011	128 2 685 2 091	69 2 500 1 315	93 1 575 1 245	54 693 696
Sales	number-- dollars--	19 977 13 070	(D)	6 186 1 310	10 641 6 124	13 791 11 760
Grapefruit	farms-- trees not of bearing age-- trees of bearing age-- pounds harvested--	49 250 1 688	53 243 250	36 198 122	48 224 158	13 203 44
Sales	pounds-- dollars--	3 410 2 009	4 798 2 450	2 679 1 679	3 778 2 290	500 330
Limes and lemons	farms-- trees not of bearing age-- trees of bearing age-- pounds harvested--	116 387 905	123 382 987	68 184 408	98 347 776	48 203 497
Sales	pounds-- dollars--	11 359 7 209	7 666 3 935	7 420 4 280	6 456 3 040	3 939 2 929
Mangoes	farms-- trees not of bearing age-- trees of bearing age-- number harvested--	146 971 2 081	163 1 960 2 790	84 541 2 266	115 1 300 2 140	62 430 615
Sales	number-- dollars--	171 104 128 640	205 041 (D)	90 626 67 565	161 651 128 865	80 478 61 075
Oranges	farms-- trees not of bearing age-- trees of bearing age-- pounds harvested--	57 516 488	75 354 378	43 469 446	66 301 362	14 47 42
Sales	pounds-- dollars--	7 331 3 620	5 419 2 340	6 631 3 085	5 194 2 240	700 535
Papayas	farms-- trees not of bearing age-- trees of bearing age-- pounds harvested--	76 395 937	77 388 1 035	35 156 331	48 351 303	41 37 37
Sales	pounds-- dollars--	9 588 7 466	4 175 2 066	5 170 4 043	3 190 1 391	4 418 3 423
Pineapples	farms-- plants not of bearing age-- plants of bearing age-- boxes harvested--	31 556 774	24 789 1 405	10 47 30	16 642 272	21 509 744
Sales	boxes-- dollars--	125 101	71 28	5 -	59 20	120 101
Plantains	farms-- hills not of bearing age-- hills of bearing age-- bunches harvested--	26 149 97	31 422 1 405	20 106 76	24 416 556	6 42 21
Sales	bunches-- dollars--	111 84	919 849	111 84	300 233	- -
Other fruits, nuts, and tree crops	farms-- plants and trees not of bearing age-- plants and trees of bearing age-- number harvested--	83 287 2 078	41 81 420	54 165 1 106	39 (D) (D)	29 122 972
Sales	number-- dollars--	26 974 21 962	1 814 756	11 983 9 366	14 991 (D)	14 991 12 596
Ornamental plants and other nursery products	farms-- sq ft under cover-- acres-- dollars--	19 54 650 12	10 28 390 2	14 5 192	9 (D) (D)	5 2 400 3
Sales	dollars--	11 723	483	198 780	42 450	(D)

Table 16. Livestock, Poultry, and Their Products, by Islands: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Virgin Islands		Saint Croix		Saint John and Saint Thomas	
	1987	1982	1987	1982	1987	1982
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS						
Horses, colts, and ponies	farms	28	24	25	23	3
Sales	number	224	125	213	(D)	11
	farms	3	3	1	3	2
	number	7	13	(D)	13	(D)
	dollars	2 050	5 750	(D)	5 750	(D)
Mules, asses, and burros	farms	1	2	-	-	1
Sales	number	(D)	(D)	-	-	(D)
	farms	-	-	-	-	-
	number	-	-	-	-	-
	dollars	-	-	-	-	-
Sheep and lambs	farms	54	60	31	42	23
Sales	number	3 134	2 814	2 477	2 158	657
	farms	28	46	13	30	15
	number	910	629	645	484	265
	dollars	50 736	36 010	(D)	25 495	(D)
Goats and kids	farms	93	112	57	89	36
Sales	number	3 315	3 633	2 322	2 692	993
	farms	64	74	38	54	26
	number	928	914	608	673	320
	dollars	47 150	45 263	28 300	28 018	18 850
Hogs and pigs	farms	62	87	33	53	29
Sales	number	2 536	(D)	1 020	(D)	1 516
	farms	44	62	20	34	24
	number	1 424	1 513	479	532	945
	dollars	125 226	129 973	35 270	35 603	89 956
Under 8 months old	farms	56	71	31	40	25
Sales	number	1 378	(D)	595	(D)	783
	number	645	822	399	398	246
	dollars	42 456	62 085	28 075	28 095	14 381
8 months old or older	farms	58	77	30	45	28
Sales	number	1 158	(D)	425	(D)	733
	number	779	691	80	134	699
	dollars	82 770	67 888	7 195	10 508	75 575
Cattle and calves	farms	95	90	62	63	33
Sales	number	5 078	5 578	4 740	5 150	338
	farms	70	51	51	36	19
	number	1 555	1 207	1 301	1 142	145
	dollars	613 392	488 632	538 959	427 913	74 433
Cows	farms	77	79	57	56	20
Sales	number	2 499	3 031	2 350	2 785	149
	number	451	235	397	186	54
	dollars	186 219	114 150	160 253	90 950	25 966
Heifers and heifer calves 1 year old or older	farms	65	53	43	38	22
Sales	number	1 130	1 249	1 046	1 190	84
	number	312	282	275	265	37
	dollars	127 773	100 755	114 263	95 185	13 510
Bulls, bull calves, steers, and steer calves 1 year old or older	farms	66	68	47	51	19
Sales	number	488	845	448	801	40
	number	479	498	429	459	50
	dollars	266 147	244 228	239 120	220 678	27 027
Calves under 1 year old	farms	57	54	38	42	19
Sales	number	961	453	896	374	65
	number	313	272	260	232	53
	dollars	33 253	29 500	25 323	21 100	7 930
Livestock sales	farms	150	165	96	110	54
	dollars	838 554	705 629	640 981	522 779	197 573
Milk sales	farms	6	10	5	7	1
	quarts	2 097 423	1 858 145	(D)	1 680 825	(D)
	dollars	1 042 698	922 830	(D)	789 825	(D)
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS						
Chickens	farms	65	55	40	50	25
Sales	number	5 326	(D)	3 762	17 628	1 564
	farms	14	12	9	11	5
	number	1 666	20 071	1 455	(D)	211
	dollars	2 276	15 216	(D)	(D)	(D)
5 months old or older	farms	49	51	25	46	24
	number	2 690	(D)	1 600	9 158	1 090
Turkeys, ducks, geese, and other poultry	farms	21	17	16	16	5
Sales	number	727	366	464	(D)	263
	farms	5	3	4	2	1
	number	345	655	(D)	(D)	(D)
	dollars	1 013	995	(D)	(D)	(D)
Chicken egg sales	farms	22	15	14	12	8
	dozens	11 279	284 107	10 169	283 407	1 110
	dollars	13 542	299 375	12 132	298 450	1 410
Poultry and egg sales	farms	30	21	20	18	10
	dollars	16 831	315 586	14 309	314 316	2 522

Table 17. Selected Equipment and Specified Facilities by Tenure of Operator and Islands: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Virgin Islands		Saint Croix		Saint John and Saint Thomas	
	1987	1982	1987	1982	1987	1982
SELECTED EQUIPMENT						
Tractors of all kinds						
... farms	44	47	42	46	2	1
... number	76	111	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Full owners						
... farms	27	31	26	31	—	—
... number	43	81	(D)	81	(D)	—
Part owners						
... farms	11	12	10	11	1	1
... number	(D)	(D)	24	25	(D)	(D)
Managers						
... farms	4	1	4	(D)	—	—
... number	4	(D)	4	(D)	—	—
Tenants						
... farms	2	3	2	3	—	—
... number	(D)	3	(D)	3	—	—
Motortrucks						
... farms	145	160	90	114	55	46
... number	174	219	113	155	61	64
Full owners						
... farms	104	126	53	91	41	35
... number	119	159	73	121	46	38
Part owners						
... farms	23	21	16	16	7	5
... number	34	44	26	24	8	20
Managers						
... farms	5	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—
... number	14	12	9	6	(D)	5
Tenants						
... farms	16	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	6
... number						6
Automobilas						
... farms	136	126	84	97	52	29
... number	160	161	99	128	61	33
Full owners						
... farms	98	104	58	79	40	25
... number	117	135	69	107	48	28
Part owners						
... farms	27	14	19	12	8	2
... number	30	18	21	(D)	9	(D)
Managers						
... farms	4	—	3	—	—	—
... number	6	—	(D)	—	(D)	—
Tenants						
... farms	7	8	4	6	3	2
... number	7	8	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
SPECIFIED FACILITIES						
Electricity						
... farms	228	224	148	164	80	60
Full owners						
... farms	184	190	114	135	70	55
Part owners						
... farms	28	24	22	21	6	3
Managers						
... farms	7	—	5	—	2	1
Tenants						
... farms	9	10	7	8	2	1
No electricity						
... farms	39	35	20	17	19	18
Full owners						
... farms	17	17	11	9	6	8
Part owners						
... farms	8	3	3	1	5	2
Managers						
... farms	—	1	—	1	—	—
Tenants						
... farms	14	14	6	6	8	8
Piped running water						
... farms	215	223	140	155	75	68
Full owners						
... farms	164	185	104	128	60	57
Part owners						
... farms	30	24	22	20	8	4
Managers						
... farms	7	1	5	1	2	—
Tenants						
... farms	14	13	9	6	5	7
No piped running water						
... farms	52	36	28	26	24	10
Full owners						
... farms	37	22	21	16	16	6
Part owners						
... farms	6	3	3	2	3	1
Managers						
... farms	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tenants						
... farms	9	11	4	8	5	3
Wells						
... farms	111	141	87	83	24	58
number						
... number	202	221	146	143	56	78
Full owners						
... farms	82	110	64	63	18	47
Part owners						
... farms	139	163	99	98	40	65
Managers						
... farms	19	15	15	12	4	3
... number	41	34	(D)	29	5	5
Tenants						
... farms	3	1	2	1	—	—
... number	5	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—
... number	14	15	6	(D)	(D)	8
Reporting no wells						
... farms	156	118	81	98	75	20
Full owners						
... farms	119	97	61	81	58	16
Part owners						
... farms	17	12	10	10	7	2
Managers						
... farms	4	—	3	—	1	—
Tenants						
... farms	16	9	7	7	9	2

Table 18. Selected Farm Production Expenses by Tenure of Operator and Islands: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Virgin Islands				Saint Croix				Saint John and Saint Thomas			
	Farms		Expenses (dollars)		Farms		Expenses (dollars)		Farms		Expenses (dollars)	
	1987	1982	1987	1982	1987	1982	1987	1982	1987	1982	1987	1982
Machine hire and customwork	94	98	120 640	123 015	79	87	86 590	88 865	15	11	34 050	34 150
Full owners	63	72	71 866	73 361	55	66	51 816	50 861	8	6	20 050	22 500
Part owners	18	18	(D)	39 374	16	15	(D)	(D)	2	3	(D)	(D)
Managers	2	-	(D)	-	1	-	(D)	-	1	-	(D)	-
Tenants	11	8	18 442	10 280	7	6	11 642	(D)	4	2	6 800	(D)
Hired farm labor	106	75	896 660	887 029	62	63	748 895	826 929	44	12	147 765	60 100
Full owners	66	56	432 061	565 259	37	47	348 421	526 959	29	9	83 640	38 300
Part owners	25	13	304 096	294 320	18	12	262 496	(D)	7	1	41 600	(D)
Managers	5	-	56 043	-	3	-	(D)	-	2	-	(D)	-
Tenants	10	6	104 460	27 450	4	4	(D)	(D)	6	2	(D)	-
Feed purchased for livestock and poultry	148	173	742 512	(D)	90	121	549 337	(D)	58	52	193 175	183 430
Full owners	98	134	138 083	355 562	59	91	(D)	260 142	39	40	(D)	95 420
Part owners	30	21	365 939	521 497	22	18	257 389	442 497	8	3	108 550	79 000
Managers	4	1	15 200	(D)	2	1	(D)	(D)	-	-	(D)	-
Tenants	16	17	222 990	101 436	7	8	208 454	82 426	9	9	14 536	19 010
Insecticides, fungicides, and herbicides	115	59	46 436	74 467	67	41	31 076	70 047	48	18	15 360	4 420
Full owners	77	50	20 132	72 598	41	33	11 407	(D)	36	17	8 725	(D)
Part owners	21	6	12 087	1 738	16	5	7 587	(D)	5	1	4 500	(D)
Managers	4	-	7 850	-	4	-	7 850	-	-	-	-	-
Tenants	13	3	6 367	131	6	3	4 232	131	7	-	2 135	-
Fertilizers and manure purchased	66	63	34 989	(D)	27	37	17 657	(D)	39	26	17 332	6 490
Full owners	49	52	25 038	51 472	19	29	12 073	45 602	30	23	12 965	5 870
Part owners	9	8	7 640	(D)	4	6	(D)	13 876	5	2	(D)	(D)
Managers	3	-	1 644	-	3	-	1 644	-	-	-	-	-
Tenants	5	3	667	317	1	2	(D)	(D)	4	1	(D)	(D)
Livestock and poultry purchased	43	54	66 485	(D)	20	31	19 960	53 355	23	23	46 535	(D)
Full owners	23	39	33 520	31 566	10	21	8 785	17 761	13	18	24 735	13 805
Part owners	7	7	5 125	(D)	5	6	(D)	4 819	2	1	(D)	(D)
Managers	4	-	5 025	-	2	-	(D)	-	2	-	(D)	-
Tenants	9	8	22 825	34 525	3	4	3 425	30 775	6	4	19 400	3 750

Table 19. Off-Farm Work by Tenure of Operator and Islands: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Virgin Islands		Saint Croix		Saint John and Saint Thomas	
	1987	1982	1987	1982	1987	1982
Operators by days of work off farm:						
None	94	94	83	78	11	16
Any	173	165	85	103	88	62
1 to 49 days	13	13	3	11	10	2
50 to 99 days	8	3	6	1	2	1
100 to 149 days	15	4	6	3	9	6
150 to 199 days	18	27	7	21	11	5
200 days or more	119	118	63	67	56	51
Full owners by days of work off farm:						
None	74	79	63	65	11	14
Any	127	128	62	79	65	49
1 to 49 days	12	6	3	4	2	2
50 to 99 days	8	3	5	1	2	1
100 to 149 days	10	3	4	2	6	1
150 to 199 days	15	24	6	19	9	5
200 days or more	82	92	43	53	39	39
Part owners by days of work off farm:						
None	10	12	10	11	-	1
Any	26	15	15	11	11	4
1 to 49 days	1	2	-	2	-	-
50 to 99 days	-	-	-	-	-	-
100 to 149 days	3	1	1	1	2	-
150 to 199 days	-	1	-	1	-	-
200 days or more	23	11	14	7	9	4
Managers by days of work off farm:						
None	2	-	2	-	-	-
Any	5	1	3	1	2	-
1 to 49 days	-	-	-	-	-	-
50 to 99 days	-	-	-	-	-	-
100 to 149 days	-	-	-	-	-	-
150 to 199 days	-	1	-	1	1	-
200 days or more	4	1	3	1	1	-
Tenants by days of work off farm:						
None	8	3	8	2	-	1
Any	15	21	5	12	10	9
1 to 49 days	1	5	-	5	1	-
50 to 99 days	-	-	-	-	-	-
100 to 149 days	-	-	-	-	-	-
150 to 199 days	-	2	1	1	1	1
200 days or more	10	14	3	6	7	8

Table 20. Operator Characteristics by Islands: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Virgin Islands		Saint Croix		Saint John and Saint Thomas	
	1987	1982	1987	1982	1987	1982
Operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated	189	209	114	152	75	57
Not on farm operated	78	50	54	29	24	21
Operators by years on present farm:						
Less than 2 years	25	25	19	18	6	7
2 to 4 years	27	44	19	29	8	15
5 to 9 years	50	42	31	29	19	13
10 years or more	165	148	99	105	66	43
Operators by place of birth:						
Virgin Islands	166	168	96	116	70	52
Puerto Rico	11	22	11	21	-	1
Elsewhere	90	69	61	44	29	25
Operators by age group:						
Under 25 years	1	6	1	2	-	4
25 to 34 years	19	12	9	11	10	5
35 to 44 years	34	49	20	31	14	18
45 to 54 years	63	56	35	38	28	18
55 to 64 years	65	76	37	56	28	20
65 years and over	85	60	66	43	19	17
Average age	57	54	58	55	53	53
Operators by main occupation:						
Agricultural	159	115	106	91	53	24
Nonagricultural	108	144	62	90	46	54

Table 21. Type of Land Ownership and Value of Agricultural Products Sold by Islands: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Virgin Islands		Saint Croix		Saint John and Saint Thomas	
	1987	1982	1987	1982	1987	1982
F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS						
Farms	267	259	168	181	99	78
Land in farms	17 785	17 778	16 132	15 689	1 654	2 089
Owned	27	234	150	168	87	98
acres	8 784	9 879	7 627	7 903	1 137	1 955
Rented from others	59	51	38	36	21	15
farms	9 940	8 439	9 627	8 325	313	114
acres	7	3	5	3	2	-
Managed for others	291	8	(D)	8	(D)	-
farms	12	5	8	5	4	-
Rented to others	1 210	547	(D)	547	(D)	-
farms						
acres						
VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD						
Total sales	farms	267	259	168	181	99
	dollars	2 685 351	2 391 506	2 083 821	2 011 878	601 530
Average per farm	dollars	10 057	9 234	12 404	11 115	6 076
Forage, field, and vegetable crops	farms	93	68	45	59	48
	dollars	399 221	(D)	(D)	209 307	(D)
Fruits and nuts	farms	140	127	76	80	64
	dollars	146 817	(D)	65 638	86 651	81 179
Ornamental plants and other nursery products	farms	19	9	14	8	5
	dollars	241 230	89 700	198 780	(D)	42 450
Livestock	farms	150	165	96	110	54
	dollars	838 554	705 629	640 981	522 779	197 573
Milk	farms	6	10	5	7	5
	dollars	1 042 698	922 830	(D)	789 825	(D)
Poultry and eggs	farms	30	21	20	18	10
	dollars	16 831	315 586	14 309	(D)	2 522

¹ Detail may not add to total due to rounding.

Table 22. Summary by Tenure of Operator: 1987

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Managers	Tenants
F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS					
Farms number	267	201	36	7	23
Percent of farms	100.0	75.3	13.5	2.6	8.6
Land in farms acres	17 785	6 478	9 962	291	1 054
Percent distribution	100.0	36.4	56.0	1.6	5.9
Average size of farm acres	66.6	32.2	276.7	41.6	45.8
L LAND USE					
Total cropland farms	206	156	27	5	18
acres	1 899	820	623	19	438
Harvested farms	200	154	25	5	16
acres	608	370	195	19	24
Other farms	49	31	10	-	5
acres	1 291	450	426	-	413
Pasture or grazing land farms	154	114	27	5	6
acres	13 390	4 581	7 988	233	589
Woodland farms	49	33	11	2	3
acres	1 836	754	1 048	(D)	(D)
Other land farms	192	147	29	5	11
acres	660	323	304	(D)	(D)
T TENURE OF OPERATOR					
All operators farms	267	201	36	7	23
acres	17 785	6 478	9 962	291	1 054
Full owners farms	201	201	-	-	-
acres	6 478	6 478	-	-	-
Part owners farms	36	-	36	-	-
acres	9 962	-	9 962	-	-
Managers farms	7	-	-	7	-
acres	291	-	-	291	-
Tenants farms	23	-	-	-	23
acres	1 054	-	-	-	1 054
F FARMS BY SIZE					
Farms	267	201	36	7	23
Less than 3 acres	80	65	6	-	9
3 to 9 acres	81	65	7	3	6
10 to 19 acres	32	28	4	-	1
20 to 49 acres	37	24	5	3	4
50 to 99 acres	16	8	4	-	4
100 to 174 acres	6	3	3	-	1
175 to 259 acres	4	3	-	1	-
260 to 499 acres	5	2	1	-	2
500 to 999 acres	3	2	1	-	-
1,000 acres or more	3	1	2	-	-
F FARMS BY TYPE OF HOLDING					
Home consumption holding	44	37	4	1	2
Sale holdings	223	164	32	6	21
Vegetable	31	23	3	2	1
Field and forage crop	3	2	-	-	-
Fruit and nut	43	39	3	-	1
Dair	5	-	4	-	-
Livestock	100	72	17	3	8
Poultry	3	3	-	-	-
Nursery	8	6	2	-	-
Mixed	29	19	3	1	6
Other	-	-	-	-	-
O OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS					
Operators by place of residence:					
On farm operated	189	154	25	3	7
Not on farm operated	78	47	11	4	16
Operators by years on present farm:					
Less than 2 years	25	16	1	2	5
2 to 4 years	27	17	5	2	3
5 to 9 years	50	32	14	1	3
10 years or more	165	136	16	2	11
Operators by place of birth:					
Virgin Islands	166	139	18	3	6
Puerto Rico	11	8	1	1	1
Elsewhere	90	54	17	3	16
Operators by age group:					
Under 25 years	1	1	-	-	-
25 to 34 years	19	14	1	3	1
35 to 44 years	34	22	10	1	1
45 to 54 years	63	45	11	2	5
55 to 64 years	65	49	7	1	8
65 years or more	85	70	7	-	8
Average age	57	58	52	40	58
Operators by main occupation:					
Agricultural number	159	121	20	3	15
acres	14 542	4 553	9 458	74	457
Nonagricultural number	108	80	16	4	8
acres	3 243	1 925	504	217	598
Operators by days of work off farm:					
None	94	74	10	2	8
Any	173	127	26	5	15
1 to 49 days	13	12	-	-	1
50 to 99 days	8	8	-	-	-
100 to 149 days	15	10	3	-	2
150 to 199 days	18	15	-	1	-
200 days or more	119	82	23	4	10

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 22. Summary by Tenure of Operator: 1987—Con.

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Managers	Tenants
LABOR STATUS					
Farms	266	200	36	7	23
number					55
workers	660	449	127	29	
Unpaid labor	247	190	31	4	22
farms	41	336	61	10	33
workers	14	9	4	-	
Less than 25 days	19	12	(D)	-	(D)
farms					1
workers	43	35	6	1	(D)
25 to 149 days	66	51	(D)	3	21
farms	212	164	24	(D)	(D)
150 days or more	349	267	43	(D)	(D)
farms	106	66	25	5	10
Hired farm labor	226	119	68	19	22
farms					
workers	21	16	5	-	-
Less than 25 days	28	23	5	-	-
farms					4
workers	42	29	8	1	(D)
25 to 149 days	62	40	16	(D)	(D)
farms	51	25	15	4	7
150 days or more	136	56	45	(D)	(D)
Not reported	1	1	-	-	-
SELECTED EQUIPMENT					
Tractors of all kinds	44	27	11	4	2
farms					(D)
number	76	43	(D)	4	14
Motortrucks	145	104	23	4	14
farms					
number	174	119	34	5	16
Automobiles	136	98	27	4	7
farms					
number	160	117	30	6	7
F FARMS BY SPECIFIED FACILITIES					
Electricity	228	184	28	7	9
No electricity	39	17	8	-	14
Piped running water	215	164	30	7	14
No piped running water	52	37	6	-	9
Wells	111	82	19	3	7
farms	202	139	41	8	14
number	156	119	17	4	16
Reporting no wells					
VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD					
Total sales	267	201	36	7	23
farms					
dollars	2 685 351	963 474	1 050 694	123 046	548 137
Average per farm	10 057	4 793	29 186	17 578	23 832
Farms by value of sales:					
\$100 to \$499	85	72	6	1	6
farms					(D)
dollars	18 855	15 901	1 315	(D)	7
\$500 to \$1,199	53	42	3	1	1
farms					5 317
dollars	40 081	31 454	(D)	(D)	
\$1,200 to \$2,499	40	29	5	2	4
farms					(D)
dollars	69 383	49 877	8 464	(D)	
\$2,500 to \$4,999	93	22	0	-	2
farms					(D)
dollars	111 346	75 547	(D)		
\$5,000 to \$7,499	13	9	4	-	-
farms					
dollars	74 772	51 660	23 112	-	-
\$7,500 to \$9,999	8	8	-	-	-
farms					
dollars	67 699	67 699	-	-	-
\$10,000 or more	35	19	9	3	4
farms					
dollars	2 303 185	671 336	984 769	118 674	528 406
SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP OR PRODUCT					
Forage, field, and vegetable crops	93	65	12	3	13
farms					
dollars	399 221	255 815	70 872	62 033	10 501
Fruits and nuts	140	109	19	2	10
farms					(D)
dollars	146 817	120 427	19 420	(D)	
Ornamental plants and other nursery products	19	12	5	1	1
farms					(D)
dollars	241 230	203 880	(D)	4	15
Livestock	150	103	26		
farms					71 486
dollars	838 554	370 153	346 831	50 084	
Milk	6	-	4	-	2
farms					(D)
dollars	1 042 698	-	(D)		2
Poultry and eggs	30	22	4	2	2
farms					(D)
dollars	16 831	13 199	734	(D)	
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES					
Machine hire and customwork	94	63	18	2	11
farms					
dollars	120 640	71 866	(D)	(D)	18 442
Hired farm labor	106	66	25	5	10
farms					
dollars	896 660	432 061	304 096	56 043	104 460
Feed purchased for livestock and poultry	148	98	30	4	16
farms					
dollars	742 512	138 383	365 939	15 200	222 990
Insecticides, fungicides, and herbicides	115	77	21	4	13
farms					
dollars	46 436	20 132	12 087	7 850	6 367
Fertilizers and manure purchased	66	49	9	3	5
farms					
dollars	34 989	25 888	7 640	1 644	667
Livestock and poultry purchased	43	23	7	4	9
farms					
dollars	66 495	33 520	5 125	5 025	22 825

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 22. Summary by Tenure of Operator: 1987—Con.

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Managers	Tenants
SELECTED FRUITS, NUTS, AND TREE CROPS					
Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit trees and plants					
farms	181	140	24	4	13
acres	347	253	73	6	15
Avocados					
farms	137	109	19	1	8
trees not of bearing age	807	612	108	(D)	(D)
trees of bearing age	449	1 243	195	-	11
number harvested	41 005	35 515	4 957	-	454
Sales					
number	32 494	29 285	2 778	-	431
dollars	23 914	21 513	1 895	-	506
Bananas					
farms	120	91	18	4	7
hills not of bearing age	6 348	4 936	1 072	108	232
hills of bearing age	6 708	4 385	1 151	604	568
bunches harvested	5 881	4 338	821	285	437
Sales					
bunches	4 666	3 386	793	180	307
dollars	38 891	28 415	6 588	1 051	2 837
Coconuts					
farms	123	103	15	2	3
trees not of bearing age	3 193	923	2 247	(D)	(D)
trees of bearing age	2 011	1 798	200	(D)	(D)
number harvested	19 977	18 252	1 293	(D)	(D)
Sales					
number	13 070	12 339	726	-	5
dollars	11 979	11 256	718	-	5
Grapefruit					
farms	49	39	7	2	1
trees not of bearing age	250	178	(D)	(D)	(D)
trees of bearing age	166	123	(D)	(D)	(D)
pounds harvested	3 419	3 247	(D)	-	-
Sales					
pounds	2 009	1 984	25	-	-
dollars	1 484	1 464	20	-	-
Limes and lemons					
farms	116	92	17	2	5
trees not of bearing age	387	289	20	(D)	(D)
trees of bearing age	905	756	112	(D)	(D)
pounds harvested	13 355	9 553	1 368	-	40
Sales					
pounds	7 009	6 679	415	-	115
dollars	5 311	4 898	338	-	75
Mangoes					
farms	146	117	19	3	7
trees not of bearing age	971	672	185	91	23
trees of bearing age	2 881	2 294	496	6	85
number harvested	171 104	148 120	20 586	100	2 298
Sales					
number	128 640	110 610	16 110	-	1 920
dollars	44 007	36 397	7 000	-	610
Oranges					
farms	57	49	7	1	-
trees not of bearing age	516	365	(D)	-	-
trees of bearing age	488	465	23	-	-
pounds harvested	7 331	7 041	290	-	-
Sales					
pounds	3 620	3 620	-	-	-
dollars	1 668	1 668	-	-	-
Papayas					
farms	76	59	10	1	6
trees not of bearing age	350	258	65	(D)	(D)
trees of bearing age	397	736	122	(D)	(D)
pounds harvested	9 588	7 308	1 690	-	-
Sales					
pounds	7 466	6 143	1 223	-	100
dollars	5 430	4 872	478	-	80
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS					
Horses, colts, and ponies					
farms	28	17	8	-	3
number	224	154	64	-	-
Sales					
farms	3	3	-	-	-
number	7	7	-	-	-
dollars	2 050	2 050	-	-	-
Mules, asses, and burros					
farms	1	1	-	-	-
number	(D)	(D)	-	-	-
Sales					
farms	-	-	-	-	-
number	-	-	-	-	-
dollars	-	-	-	-	-
Sheep and lambs					
farms	54	37	7	2	8
number	3 134	2 242	305	(D)	(D)
Sales					
farms	28	18	5	-	4
number	910	644	(D)	(D)	202
dollars	50 736	38 316	(D)	(D)	8 736
Goats and kids					
farms	93	70	14	3	6
number	3 315	2 471	515	108	221
Sales					
farms	64	51	8	1	4
number	928	650	(D)	(D)	122
dollars	47 150	31 830	(D)	(D)	6 140
Hogs and pigs					
farms	62	37	12	3	10
number	2 536	1 266	587	316	347
Sales					
farms	44	27	7	2	8
number	1 424	694	239	(D)	(D)
dollars	125 226	49 011	20 590	(D)	(D)
Under 8 months old					
farms	56	34	11	3	8
number	1 835	724	377	(D)	(D)
Sales					
farms	645	404	97	3	141
number	42 456	28 616	6 415	115	7 310
8 months old or older					
farms	58	35	12	1	10
number	1 158	562	210	(D)	(D)
Sales					
farms	779	290	142	(D)	(D)
number	82 770	20 395	14 175	(D)	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 22. Summary by Tenure of Operator: 1987—Con.

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Total	Full owners	Part owners	Managers	Tenants
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS—					
Con.					
Cattle and calves					
farms	96	53	26	4	12
number	5 078	1 846	2 576	21	635
Sales					
farms	70	37	21	3	9
number	1 555	578	849	5	123
dollars	613 392	248 946	316 491	1 855	46 100
Cows					
farms	77	45	19	4	9
number	2 499	822	1 330	10	337
Sales					
farms	451	279	130	4	38
number	186 219	110 115	59 709	1 745	14 650
Heifers and heifer calves 1 year old or older					
farms	65	38	15	1	11
number	1 130	443	552	(D)	(D)
Sales					
farms	312	84	204	—	24
number	127 773	35 910	82 763	—	9 100
Bulls, bull calves, steers, and steer calves 1 year old or older					
farms	66	36	20	2	8
number	488	209	230	(D)	(D)
Sales					
farms	479	132	308	—	39
number	266 147	89 473	158 524	—	18 150
Calves under 1 year old					
farms	57	30	17	3	7
number	961	372	464	4	121
Sales					
farms	313	83	207	1	22
number	33 253	13 448	15 495	110	4 200
Livestock sales					
farms	150	103	28	4	15
dollars	838 554	370 153	346 831	50 084	71 486
Milk sales					
farms	6	—	4	—	2
quarts	2 097 423	—	(D)	—	(D)
dollars	1 042 698	—	(D)	—	(D)
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS					
Chickens					
farms	65	46	10	2	7
number	5 326	3 819	(D)	(D)	871
Sales					
farms	14	10	3	—	1
number	1 666	1 236	(D)	—	(D)
dollars	2 276	(D)	345	—	(D)
5 months old or older					
farms	49	37	5	2	5
number	2 690	1 680	(D)	(D)	590
Turkeys, ducks, geese, and other poultry					
farms	21	12	6	1	2
number	727	507	162	(D)	(D)
Sales					
farms	5	2	3	—	—
number	345	(D)	(D)	—	—
dollars	1 013	(D)	(D)	—	—
Chicken egg sales					
farms	22	18	1	2	1
dozens	11 279	8 785	(D)	(D)	(D)
dollars	13 542	10 738	(D)	—	—
Poultry and egg sales					
farms	30	22	4	2	2
dollars	16 831	13 199	734	(D)	(D)

¹Detail may not add to total due to rounding.

Table 23. Summary by Age of Operator: 1987

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS							
Farms ----- number	267	1	19	34	63	65	85
Percent of farms -----	100.0	(D)	(D)	12.7	23.6	24.3	31.8
Land in farms ----- acres	17 785	(D)	(D)	2 168	2 323	3 493	9 468
Percent distribution -----	100.0	(D)	(D)	12.2	13.1	19.6	53.2
Average size of farm ----- acres	66.6	(D)	(D)	63.8	36.9	53.7	111.4
LAND USE							
Total cropland ----- farms	206	1	16	27	42	52	68
acres ¹	1 893	(D)	(D)	324	248	350	934
Harvested ----- farms	200	1	16	25	42	51	65
acres	608	(D)	(D)	(D)	125	203	188
Other ----- farms	49	-	2	9	10	10	18
acres	1 291	-	(D)	(D)	123	147	746
Pasture or grazing land ----- farms	154	1	11	21	37	36	48
acres	13 390	(D)	(D)	1 706	1 800	2 682	7 005
Woodland ----- farms	49	-	3	6	16	9	15
acres	1 836	-	-	47	51	107	366
Other land ----- farms	192	1	16	21	41	46	67
acres	660	(D)	(D)	87	168	116	264
TENURE OF OPERATOR							
All operators ----- farms	267	1	19	34	63	65	85
acres ¹	17 785	(D)	(D)	2 168	2 323	3 493	9 468
Full owners ----- farms	201	1	14	22	45	49	70
acres	6 478	(D)	(D)	(D)	1 385	694	3 342
Part owners ----- farms	36	-	1	10	11	7	-
acres	9 962	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	2 677	5 831
Managers ----- farms	7	-	3	1	2	1	-
acres	291	-	57	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Tenants ----- farms	23	-	1	1	5	8	8
acres	1 054	-	(D)	(D)	239	(D)	2 953
F FARMS BY SIZE							
Farms -----	267	1	19	34	63	65	85
Less than 3 acres -----	80	-	5	8	19	22	26
3 to 6 acres -----	81	-	6	11	13	26	25
10 to 19 acres -----	32	1	3	3	9	5	11
20 to 49 acres -----	37	-	4	7	12	2	12
50 to 99 acres -----	16	-	-	1	4	7	4
100 to 174 acres -----	6	-	1	1	2	2	-
175 to 259 acres -----	4	-	-	-	3	-	-
260 to 489 acres -----	5	-	-	1	1	-	3
500 to 998 acres -----	3	-	-	2	-	-	1
1,000 acres or more -----	3	-	-	-	-	1	2
F FARMS BY TYPE OF HOLDING							
Home consumption holding -----	44	-	6	5	10	8	15
Sale holdings -----	223	1	13	29	53	57	70
Vegetable	31	-	1	3	11	10	6
Field and forage crop	3	-	-	-	-	-	3
Fruit and nut	43	1	3	2	4	2	20
Dairy	6	-	-	2	-	2	-
Livestock	100	-	5	15	31	21	28
Poultry	3	-	-	-	-	-	3
Nursery	8	-	-	1	2	5	-
Mixed	29	-	4	4	5	8	8
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS							
Operators by place of residence:							
On farm operated -----	189	1	13	25	40	43	67
Not on farm operated -----	78	-	6	9	23	22	16
Operators by years on present farm:							
Less than 2 years -----	25	1	3	4	8	6	3
2 to 4 years -----	27	-	4	4	11	7	1
5 to 9 years -----	50	-	6	12	15	10	7
10 years or more -----	165	-	6	14	29	42	74
Operators by place of birth:							
Virgin Islands -----	166	1	14	20	38	33	60
Puerto Rico -----	11	-	-	-	1	4	6
Elsewhere -----	90	-	5	14	24	28	19
Operators by age group:							
Under 25 years -----	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years -----	19	-	19	-	-	-	-
35 to 44 years -----	34	-	-	34	-	-	-
45 to 54 years -----	63	-	-	-	63	-	-
55 to 64 years -----	65	-	-	-	-	65	-
65 years or more -----	85	-	-	-	-	-	85
Average age -----	57	(D)	31	40	50	59	72
Operators by main occupation:							
Agricultural ----- number	153	1	10	17	25	40	66
Agricultural ----- acres	14 542	(D)	(D)	(D)	484	3 170	9 218
Nonagricultural ----- number	108	2	9	17	38	25	19
Nonagricultural ----- acres	3 243	-	(D)	(D)	1 839	323	251
Operators by days of work off farm:							
None -----	94	-	3	5	11	24	51
Any -----	173	1	16	29	52	41	34
1 to 49 days -----	13	-	3	1	4	1	4
50 to 99 days -----	8	-	2	1	1	3	1
100 to 149 days -----	15	1	1	4	3	3	3
150 to 199 days -----	18	-	2	1	9	2	4
200 days or more -----	119	-	8	22	35	32	22

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Table 23. Summary by Age of Operator: 1987—Con.

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
LABOR STATUS							
Farms	266	1	19	34	62	65	85
workers	660	(D)	82	153	161	210	
Unpaid labor	247	1	14	32	57	60	83
workers	434	(D)	58	100	91	145	
Less than 25 days	14	1	2	3	5	3	4
workers	19	—	(D)	(D)	3	7	4
25 to 149 days	43	—	5	7	10	11	10
workers	66	—	8	14	14	13	17
150 days or more	212	1	9	28	48	49	77
workers	349	(D)	22	(D)	83	77	124
Hired farm labor	106	1	8	12	26	27	32
farms	23	(D)	(D)	(D)	53	54	65
Less than 25 days	21	1	1	1	5	1	12
workers	28	(D)	(D)	(D)	7	(D)	16
25 to 149 days	42	—	4	3	12	12	11
workers	62	—	7	(D)	19	(D)	16
150 days or more	51	—	3	8	13	15	12
workers	136	—	10	20	27	46	33
Not reported	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
SELECTED EQUIPMENT							
Tractors of all kinds	44	—	2	5	13	10	14
farms	76	—	(D)	(D)	18	19	
number	145	—	9	22	35	34	45
Motortrucks	174	—	10	27	41	40	56
Automobiles	136	1	12	19	32	35	37
farms	160	(D)	(D)	21	34	42	47
F FARMS BY SPECIFIED FACILITIES							
Electricity	228	1	17	31	50	54	75
No electricity	39	—	2	3	13	11	10
Piped running water	215	1	17	30	49	49	69
No piped running water	52	—	2	4	14	16	16
Wells	111	—	5	11	28	27	40
farms	202	—	6	31	49	44	72
Reporting no wells	156	1	14	23	35	36	45
VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Total sales	2 685 351	1	19	34	63	65	85
farms	267	(D)	47 266	621 802	(D)	669 203	824 964
Average per farm	10 057	(D)	2 488	18 288	(D)	10 295	9 705
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100 to \$499	85	—	6	7	16	20	36
farms	18 885	—	1 361	1 560	3 414	4 563	7 987
\$500 to \$1,199	53	1	5	4	12	12	19
farms	40 081	(D)	3 481	3 110	9 779	8 319	(D)
\$1,200 to \$2,499	40	—	2	9	10	8	11
farms	69 383	—	(D)	14 450	17 039	(D)	19 280
\$2,500 to \$4,999	33	—	1	6	8	9	9
farms	111 346	—	(D)	(D)	26 877	29 769	29 523
\$5,000 to \$7,499	13	—	3	2	3	4	1
farms	74 772	—	18 415	(D)	16 872	21 916	(D)
\$7,500 to \$9,999	8	—	2	1	1	2	3
farms	67 699	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	25 740
\$10,000 or more	35	—	—	6	13	10	6
farms	2 303 185	—	—	569 547	438 896	572 150	722 592
SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP OR PRODUCT							
Forage, field, and vegetable crops	93	—	6	10	23	29	25
farms	399 221	—	7 591	96 241	217 592	53 190	24 607
Fruits and nuts	140	1	12	16	25	36	50
farms	146 817	(D)	14 647	17 381	(D)	62 456	(D)
Ornamental plants and other nursery products	19	—	—	3	4	9	3
farms	241 230	—	—	31 200	60 500	148 300	1 230
Livestock	150	1	9	25	36	35	44
farms	838 554	(D)	22 670	(D)	221 130	(D)	382 367
Milk	6	—	—	2	—	2	2
farms	1 042 698	—	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
Poultry and eggs	30	—	3	6	5	6	10
farms	16 831	—	2 358	1 187	5 734	2 420	5 132
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES							
Machine hire and customwork	84	—	5	12	25	17	35
farms	120 640	—	9 100	32 317	31 305	16 322	31 596
Hired farm labor	106	1	8	12	26	27	32
farms	896 660	(D)	(D)	151 618	156 933	302 092	249 567
Faed purchased for livestock and poultry	148	1	8	23	37	30	49
farms	742 512	(D)	(D)	220 660	84 885	177 385	241 632
Insecticides, fungicides, and herbicides	115	—	8	16	31	33	27
farms	46 436	—	2 738	12 384	12 725	11 561	7 028
Fertilizers and manure purchased	66	—	4	7	18	24	13
farms	34 989	—	1 812	6 419	12 721	11 602	2 435
Livestock and poultry purchased	43	—	4	9	10	11	9
farms	66 495	—	6 275	18 835	23 350	9 545	8 490

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Table 23. Summary by Age of Operator: 1987—Con.

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
SELECTED FRUITS, NUTS, AND TREE CROPS							
Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit trees and plants	farms acres	181 347	1 (D)	15 44	25 179	36 243	46 189
Avocados	farms	137	1	11 86	19 110	26 128	39 323
	trees not of bearing age	807	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	41 795
	trees of bearing age	1 449	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	15 861 15 807
Sales	number dollars	41 206 32 494	(D)	2 971 3 300	2 567 2 160	15 861 13 211	15 807 12 318
Bananas	farms	120	-	14 503	19 933	24 1 596	32 2 249
	hills not of bearing age	6 348	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	41 728
	hills of bearing age	6 708	-	1 202 625	933 680	1 285 1 608	1 101 2 404
Sales	bunches dollars	5 881 4 666	-	442 3 461	398 1 267	2 155 1 480	564 344
	bunches dollars	38 891	-	4 425	3 461	7 180	21 160
Coconuts	farms	123	1	12 171	20 248	19 2 392	34 230
	trees not of bearing age	3 193	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	37 152
	trees of bearing age	2 011	-	122 1 473	204 2 795	156 2 300	62 525
Sales	number dollars	19 977 13 070	(D)	1 473 800	2 795 1 850	8 621 7 559	5 025 5 256
Grapefruit	farms	49	-	3 10	10 102	9 75	11 27
	trees not of bearing age	250	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	16 36
	trees of bearing age	165	-	18 49	18 49	13 40	15 40
	pounds harvested	3 419	-	300 515	230 230	1 250 1 250	1 144 1 144
Sales	pounds dollars	2 009 1 484	-	300 150	400 400	530 515	525 419
Limes and lemons	farms	116	-	8 33	18 91	25 84	28 121
	trees not of bearing age	387	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	37 58
	trees of bearing age	905	-	107 925	129 1 201	121 1 382	229 5 177
Sales	pounds dollars	11 359 7 209	-	675 450	680 598	561 368	2 694 1 200
Mangoes	farms	146	1	15 62	22 204	26 155	34 209
	trees not of bearing age	971	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	48 341
	trees of bearing age	2 881	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	692 1 204
Sales	number dollars	171 104 128 640	(D)	20 110 17 060	24 425 17 425	48 268 36 675	57 896 40 750
Oranges	farms	57	1	5 17	10 150	12 214	18 71
	trees not of bearing age	516	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	64 40
	trees of bearing age	488	-	35 35	57 57	339 339	339 339
Sales	pounds dollars	7 331 3 620	-	700 200	1 170 900	480 -	4 870 2 310
Papayas	farms	76	-	9 11	8 66	24 60	20 153
	trees not of bearing age	350	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	60 286
	trees of bearing age	937	-	106 106	141 141	177 177	227 227
Sales	pounds dollars	9 588 7 466	-	1 215 1 030	1 000 503	1 936 1 398	4 102 3 605
	pounds dollars	5 430	-	775	340	839	2 643
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS							
Horses, colts, and ponies	farms	28	-	2 (D)	4 (D)	8 23	6 82
Sales	farms number dollars	224 3 2 050	-	(D)	(D)	-	101 -
Mules, asses, and burros	farms	1	-	-	-	-	1 -
Sales	number farms number dollars	(D)	-	-	-	(D)	-
Sheep and lambs	farms	54	-	5 1 037	10 488	8 791	17 127
Sales	number farms number dollars	3 134 28 910	-	1 037 3 202	14 77	5 462	691 64
Goats and kids	farms	93	1	6 (D)	15 743	22 703	20 514
Sales	number farms number dollars	3 315 64 928	-	(D)	(D)	1 181 11 222	1 181 24 181
Hogs and pigs	farms	62	1	2 (D)	9 388	19 1 285	16 505
Sales	number farms number dollars	2 536 44 1 424	-	(D)	(D)	297 11 325	297 9 97
Under 8 months old	farms	56	1	2 (D)	9 169	14 695	15 505
Sales	number farms number dollars	1 378 645 42 456	-	(D)	(D)	12 260 (D)	160 229 (D)
8 months old or older	farms	58	1	2 (D)	9 54	18 299	14 329
Sales	number farms number dollars	1 158 779 82 770	-	(D)	(D)	12 260 (D)	137 96 7 200

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Table 23. Summary by Age of Operator: 1987—Con.

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; end for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	Under 25 years	25 to 34 years	35 to 44 years	45 to 54 years	55 to 64 years	65 years and over
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS—							
Con.							
Cattle and calves	farms..	95	-	5	17	26	20
	number..	5 078	-	13	788	778	898
Sales	farms..	70	-	3	13	18	16
	number..	1 555	-	3	193	271	300
	dollars..	613 392	-	1 260	35 728	96 450	122 078
Cows	farms..	77	-	3	14	21	16
	number..	2 499	-	5	530	371	438
Sales	number..	451	-	-	37	139	59
	dollars..	186 219	-	14 641	55 550	28 838	87 190
Heifers and heifer calves 1 year old or older	terms..	65	-	1	10	20	14
	number..	1 130	-	(D)	(D)	200	186
Sales	number..	312	-	(D)	(D)	29	91
	dollars..	127 773	-	(D)	(D)	11 100	38 300
Bulls, bull calves, steers, and steer calves 1 year old or older	farms..	66	-	2	11	20	12
	number..	488	-	(D)	(D)	67	77
Sales	number..	479	-	(D)	(D)	49	95
	dollars..	266 147	-	(D)	(D)	21 800	48 640
Calfes under 1 year old	farms..	57	-	1	11	17	12
	number..	961	-	(D)	(D)	140	197
Sales	number..	313	-	(D)	(D)	54	55
	dollars..	33 253	-	(D)	(D)	8 000	6 300
Livestock sales	farms..	150	1	9	25	36	35
	dollars..	838 554	(D)	22 670	(D)	221 130	(D)
Milk sales	farms..	6	-	-	2	-	2
	quarts..	2 097 423	-	-	(D)	-	(D)
	dollars..	1 042 698	-	-	(D)	-	(D)
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS							
Chickens	farms..	55	-	7	10	10	16
	number..	5 326	-	404	721	947	1 686
Sales	farms..	14	-	1	5	2	2
	number..	1 666	-	(D)	410	(D)	(D)
5 months old or older	farms..	2 276	-	(D)	596	(D)	(D)
	number..	49	-	6	7	8	14
	dollars..	2 690	-	322	270	425	1 015
Turkeys, ducks, geese, and other poultry	farms..	21	-	3	4	4	5
	number..	727	-	9	184	92	345
Sales	farms..	5	-	-	-	1	1
	number..	345	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
	dollars..	1 013	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Chicken egg sales	farms..	22	-	3	4	4	4
	dozens..	11 279	-	2 210	424	4 787	850
	dollars..	13 542	-	(D)	591	5 026	1 250
Poultry and egg sales	farms..	30	-	9	6	5	6
	dollars..	16 831	-	2 358	1 187	5 734	2 420
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Detail may not add to total due to rounding.							

Table 24. Summary by Size of Farm: 1987

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Total	Less than 3 acres	3 to 9 acres	10 to 19 acres	20 to 49 acres	50 to 99 acres	100 to 174 acres	175 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 acres or more
F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS											
Farms-----number	267	80	81	32	37	16	6	4	5	3	3
Percent of farms	100.0	30.0	30.3	12.0	13.9	6.0	2.2	1.5	1.9	1.1	1.1
Land in farms ¹ -----acres	17,785	30.3	457	408	1,115	1,198	740	865	1,811	2,036	9,045
Percent distribution-----	100.0	6	2.6	2.3	6.3	6.7	4.2	4.9	10.2	11.4	50.9
Average size of farm-----acres	66.6	1.4	5.6	12.8	30.1	74.9	123.3	216.3	362.2	678.7	3,015.0
L LAND USE											
Total cropland-----farms	206	64	72	26	24	7	2	1	5	2	3
acres ¹	899	60	177	97	174	238	(D)	(D)	416	(D)	425
Harvested-----farms	200	64	71	26	23	7	2	1	2	1	3
acres	608	56	111	(D)	114	32	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other-----farms	49	5	25	2	7	4	1	-	3	1	1
acres	1,291	4	67	(D)	60	206	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pasture or grazing land-----farms	154	21	46	25	30	13	5	4	4	3	3
acres	13,390	21	155	210	761	826	482	810	1,381	1,775	6,970
Woodland-----farms	49	3	17	11	9	2	1	2	-	1	3
acres	1,858	3	42	55	110	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,500
Other land-----farms	192	53	60	24	28	11	6	2	3	2	9
acres	660	28	82	46	70	(D)	127	(D)	14	(D)	150
T TENURE OF OPERATOR											
All operators-----farms	267	80	81	32	37	16	6	4	5	3	3
acres ¹	17,785	112	457	408	1,115	1,198	740	865	1,811	2,036	9,045
Full owners-----farms	20	65	65	28	24	8	3	2	2	1	1
acres	6,478	89	374	365	706	520	348	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Part owners-----farms	36	6	7	4	8	4	3	-	1	1	2
acres	9,962	12	36	42	270	335	392	-	(D)	(D)	(D)
Managers-----farms	7	-	3	-	3	-	-	1	-	-	-
acres	291	-	17	-	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	-	-
Tenants-----farms	23	9	6	-	2	4	-	-	2	-	-
acres	1,054	11	30	-	(D)	273	-	-	(D)	-	-
F FARMS BY SIZE											
Farms-----	267	80	81	32	37	16	6	4	5	3	3
Less than 3 acres-----	80	80	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3 to 9 acres-----	81	-	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10 to 19 acres-----	32	-	-	32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20 to 49 acres-----	37	-	-	-	37	-	-	-	-	-	-
50 to 99 acres-----	16	-	-	-	-	16	-	-	-	-	-
100 to 174 acres-----	6	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-
175 to 259 acres-----	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-
260 to 499 acres-----	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-
500 to 999 acres-----	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-
1,000 acres or more-----	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
F FARMS BY TYPE OF HOLDING											
Home consumption holding-----	44	24	12	3	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sale holdings-----	223	56	69	29	32	16	6	4	5	3	3
Vegetable-----	31	13	11	2	4	1	-	-	-	-	-
Field and forage crop-----	3	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fruit and nut-----	43	15	10	8	7	2	-	-	1	-	-
Dairying-----	6	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	3	1	1
Livestock-----	100	18	23	16	18	10	6	3	1	2	3
Poultry-----	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery-----	8	2	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mixed-----	29	7	16	1	3	1	-	1	-	-	-
Other-----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
O OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS											
Operators by place of residence:											
On farm operated-----	189	57	64	23	22	10	3	1	4	2	3
Not on farm operated-----	78	23	17	9	15	6	3	3	1	1	-
Operators by years on present farm:											
Less than 2 years-----	25	9	4	1	7	3	-	-	1	-	-
2 to 4 years-----	27	8	9	2	2	3	1	-	-	-	-
5 to 9 years-----	50	14	15	7	7	3	1	-	1	2	-
10 years or more-----	165	49	53	22	21	8	2	3	3	1	3
Operators by place of birth:											
Virgin Islands-----	166	41	50	22	27	11	4	3	4	3	1
Puerto Rico-----	11	4	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Elsewhere-----	90	35	26	9	10	5	2	1	1	-	1
Operators by age group:											
Under 25 years-----	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years-----	19	5	6	3	4	-	1	-	-	2	-
35 to 44 years-----	34	8	11	3	7	1	1	-	1	2	-
45 to 54 years-----	63	19	13	9	12	4	2	3	1	-	-
55 to 64 years-----	65	22	26	5	2	7	2	-	-	1	-
65 years or more-----	85	26	25	11	12	4	-	1	3	1	2
Average age-----	57	57	57	56	53	58	50	56	62	47	75
Operators by main occupation:											
Agricultural-----number	159	49	46	18	23	11	2	1	3	3	3
acres	14,542	68	280	232	653	806	(D)	(D)	2,036	9,045	-
Nonagricultural-----number	108	31	35	14	14	5	4	3	2	-	-
acres	3,243	44	177	175	462	392	(D)	(D)	-	-	-
Operators by days of work off farm:											
None-----	94	29	25	12	13	6	2	1	2	2	2
Any-----	173	51	56	20	24	10	4	3	3	1	1
1 to 49 days-----	13	6	3	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
50 to 99 days-----	8	4	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
100 to 149 days-----	15	4	6	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
150 to 199 days-----	18	6	4	5	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
200 days or more-----	119	31	42	11	15	10	4	2	2	1	1

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Item	Total	Less than 3 acres	3 to 9 acres	10 to 19 acres	20 to 49 acres	50 to 99 acres	100 to 174 acres	175 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 acres or more
LABOR STATUS											
Farms	266	79	81	32	37	16	6	4	5	3	3
workers	660	155	170	86	103	46	18	10	10	14	25
farms	247	75	78	29	35	13	5	5	5	12	25
Unpaid labor	434	120	135	47	72	29	11	5	5	5	0
workers	14	6	4	1	2	1	—	—	—	—	—
farms	19	9	5	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Less than 25 days	25	14	14	6	4	1	—	—	—	—	—
workers	43	10	16	8	6	2	—	—	—	—	—
25 to 149 days	66	15	24	23	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—
workers	21	65	55	33	30	10	5	3	5	2	2
150 days or more	349	96	106	33	59	25	11	3	3	3	3
workers	106	22	24	17	19	9	3	3	3	(D)	(D)
Hired farm labor	226	35	43	39	37	17	7	5	13	(D)	(D)
workers	21	6	3	5	4	1	—	—	—	—	—
Less than 25 days	28	7	4	10	4	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	—
25 to 149 days	42	11	10	6	10	4	—	—	—	—	—
workers	32	16	13	7	18	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
150 days or more	51	5	13	8	5	6	3	2	3	3	3
workers	136	12	26	22	15	11	7	(D)	13	(D)	—
Not reported	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17
SELECTED EQUIPMENT											
Tractors of all kinds	44	5	9	4	9	8	1	2	2	2	2
farms	76	6	10	9	12	13	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2
number	145	35	41	21	22	12	3	3	4	2	2
Motortrucks	174	41	46	26	24	14	6	3	7	(D)	(D)
farms	136	42	44	18	15	8	9	2	1	2	1
Automobiles	160	47	55	20	17	9	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	5
F FARMS BY SPECIFIED FACILITIES											
Electricity	228	64	72	28	30	13	6	4	5	3	3
No electricity	39	16	9	4	7	3	—	—	—	—	—
Piped running water	215	63	60	27	29	15	6	4	5	3	3
No piped running water	22	17	21	5	8	1	—	—	—	—	—
Wells	111	16	29	13	22	11	5	4	5	3	3
farms	202	17	32	21	39	23	6	11	14	19	20
Reporting no wells	156	64	52	19	15	5	1	—	—	—	—
VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD											
Total sales	farms	267	80	81	32	37	6	4	5	3	3
dollars	2 685	351	160	687	354	909	190	151	239	926	908
Average per farm	dollars	10 057	2 009	4 382	5 942	6 478	381	162	19 103	629	926
Farms by value of sales:	farms	85	36	31	9	7	—	2	—	—	—
\$100 to \$499	farms	18	85	8 080	6 493	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
\$500 to \$1,199	farms	53	21	14	6	9	2	—	—	—	—
\$1,200 to \$2,499	farms	40	40	20	5	5	2	—	—	—	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999	farms	69	383	12 496	35 421	7 151	8 657	(D)	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$7,499	farms	111	346	27 373	22 064	11 353	22 899	17 206	(D)	—	—
\$7,500 to \$9,999	farms	74	772	(D)	(D)	16 958	29 887	—	(D)	—	—
\$10,000 or more	farms	67	699	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	—	—
\$20 300 to \$29 999	farms	35	5	5	4	3	6	2	4	3	3
\$30 000 and over	farms	2 303	185	76 847	255 370	128 497	162 346	349 798	(D)	339	743
dollars	2 303	185	76 847	255 370	128 497	162 346	349 798	—	(D)	286	908
SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP OR PRODUCT											
Forage, field, and vegetable crops	farms	93	36	34	8	10	3	—	—	1	1
dollars	399	221	45 806	107 939	71 092	157 569	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)
Fruits and nuts	farms	140	47	48	16	20	6	1	1	1	1
dollars	146	817	36 215	41 204	24 842	21 673	16 107	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Ornamental plants and other nursery products	farms	19	5	8	4	1	—	—	—	—	—
dollars	241	220	(D)	162 260	51 400	9 500	(D)	—	—	—	—
Livestock	farms	150	27	43	20	26	15	6	3	4	3
dollars	838	554	58 360	35 597	42 478	48 281	101 124	18 103	(D)	(D)	(D)
Milk	farms	6	—	—	—	2	—	—	3	1	—
dollars	1 042	698	—	—	—	(D)	—	—	601	916	(D)
Poultry and eggs	farms	30	10	11	3	5	—	—	1	—	—
dollars	16	831	(D)	7 918	339	2 672	—	(D)	—	—	—
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES											
Machine hire and customwork	farms	94	20	18	13	20	10	4	3	4	2
dollars	120	640	(D)	8 640	7 193	42 978	17 247	9 750	7 950	11 907	(D)
Hired farm labor	farms	106	22	24	17	19	9	3	3	3	3
dollars	896	660	42 421	157 967	118 191	84 568	97 297	16 700	25 750	108 315	98 394
Feed purchased for livestock and poultry	farms	148	33	47	19	24	11	2	3	4	2
dollars	742	512	55 103	55 330	24 427	23 537	160 937	(D)	20 030	258 984	109 000
Insecticides, fungicides, and herbicides	farms	115	30	31	9	15	6	2	2	—	—
dollars	46	436	6 306	10 886	3 150	12 450	3 960	1 744	(D)	(D)	(D)
Fertilizers and manure purchased	farms	66	27	23	5	8	—	—	1	1	1
dollars	34	989	5 852	16 693	4 650	5 209	—	—	(D)	(D)	(D)
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms	43	8	12	9	6	3	1	2	—	1
dollars	66	495	19 945	7 920	5 445	4 035	20 100	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Item	Total	Less than 3 acres	3 to 9 acres	10 to 19 acres	20 to 49 acres	50 to 99 acres	100 to 174 acres	175 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 acres or more
SELECTED FRUITS, NUTS, AND TREE CROPS											
Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit trees and plants	181	55	67	25	20	7	2	1	2	-	2
farms	347	48	86	83	77	27	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
acres	347	48	86	83	77	27	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Avocados	137	48	49	17	13	5	1	1	1	-	2
farms	807	240	348	132	53	10	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
trees not of bearing age	1 449	273	492	339	133	80	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
trees of bearing age	41 206	12 917	11 079	5 935	5 500	5 025	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
number harvested	32 494	10 166	9 078	4 125	4 685	3 940	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Sales	23 914	9 099	6 133	3 262	2 852	2 168	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
number	32 494	10 166	9 078	4 125	4 685	3 940	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
dollars	23 914	9 099	6 133	3 262	2 852	2 168	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Bananas	120	35	50	15	13	3	1	1	2	-	-
farms	6 348	1 794	2 489	1 312	488	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
hills not of bearing age	6 708	946	2 829	1 044	(D)	700	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
hills of bearing age	2 011	306	378	520	477	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
bunches harvested	5 881	929	2 420	948	(D)	390	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Sales	4 666	1 786	875	(D)	345	-	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
bunches	4 666	1 786	875	(D)	345	-	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
dollars	38 891	6 127	15 645	9 420	(D)	3 130	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Coconuts	123	35	47	19	15	4	1	1	1	-	1
farms	3 193	290	694	102	2 058	20	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
trees not of bearing age	2 011	306	378	520	477	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
trees of bearing age	19 977	5 672	4 337	5 190	4 178	200	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Sales	13 070	3 705	2 450	3 850	2 865	200	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
number	13 070	3 705	2 450	3 850	2 865	200	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
dollars	11 979	3 705	2 142	3 850	2 162	120	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Grapefruit	49	12	20	6	7	1	1	1	1	-	-
farms	250	(D)	50	60	101	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
trees not of bearing age	166	19	86	20	17	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
trees of bearing age	3 419	(D)	852	1 000	350	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Sales	2 009	(D)	500	624	325	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
pounds	2 009	(D)	500	624	325	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
dollars	1 484	(D)	460	324	170	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Limes and lemons	116	35	39	19	14	3	1	1	2	-	-
farms	387	83	156	27	98	10	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
trees not of bearing age	905	269	222	174	123	20	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
trees of bearing age	11 359	4 715	2 529	2 075	1 060	380	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Sales	7 209	3 013	1 661	1 280	585	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
pounds	5 311	1 848	1 673	786	510	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Mangos	146	42	55	21	15	6	2	1	2	-	2
farms	971	167	329	143	147	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
trees not of bearing age	2 881	357	601	540	175	382	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
trees of bearing age	171 104	42 774	37 605	28 250	26 675	25 100	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Sales	128 640	26 955	25 525	22 350	23 150	22 550	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
number	128 640	26 955	25 525	22 350	23 150	22 550	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
dollars	44 007	9 122	9 205	5 650	7 590	8 265	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Oranges	57	15	20	10	7	1	1	1	1	-	1
farms	516	(D)	83	204	180	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
trees not of bearing age	488	33	87	268	36	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
trees of bearing age	7 331	635	1 312	4 360	760	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Sales	3 620	385	850	2 160	(D)	1 440	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
pounds	1 668	235	693	650	(D)	850	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Papayas	76	24	37	5	4	3	1	1	1	-	1
farms	350	116	138	(D)	10	19	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
trees not of bearing age	937	290	272	(D)	170	74	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
trees of bearing age	9 588	3 936	2 332	(D)	1 750	500	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Sales	7 465	3 393	1 303	(D)	1 440	500	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
pounds	5 430	2 592	1 058	(D)	850	300	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS											
Horses, colts, and ponies	28	3	4	2	6	3	2	1	2	-	2
farms	224	4	15	(D)	69	18	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
number	224	4	15	(D)	69	18	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Sales	3	-	-	1	1	-	1	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
farms	7	-	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
number	7	-	-	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Mules, asses, and burros	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
farms	-	-	-	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
number	-	-	-	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
dollars	-	-	-	(D)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sheep and lambs	54	9	10	4	12	6	1	1	1	-	1
farms	3 134	284	248	78	1 160	284	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
number	3 134	284	248	78	1 160	284	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Sales	28	5	7	2	6	4	1	1	1	-	1
farms	910	69	79	(D)	123	375	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
number	910	69	79	(D)	123	375	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
dollars	50 736	6 120	4 191	(D)	7 080	20 900	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Goats and kids	93	23	31	16	9	7	1	2	1	-	1
farms	3 315	644	613	572	473	565	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
number	3 315	644	613	572	473	565	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Sales	64	15	18	14	10	5	1	2	1	-	1
farms	928	155	108	150	222	235	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
number	928	155	108	150	222	235	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
dollars	47 150	7 490	5 340	8 270	9 850	11 800	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Hogs and pigs	62	12	26	10	7	3	1	1	1	-	1
farms	2 95	915	559	275	245	182	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
number	2 95	915	559	275	245	182	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Sales	44	12	17	8	2	1	1	2	1	-	1
farms	1 424	524	216	217	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
number	1 424	524	216	217	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
dollars	125 226	42 060	14 301	14 370	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
Under 8 months old	56	12	21	9	7	3	1	1	1	-	1
Sales	1 378	579	298	145	141	95	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
farms	1 378	579	298	145	141	95	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
number	1 378	579	298	145	141	95	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
dollars	42 456	23 560	6 526	4 825	925	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
8 months old or older	58	12	23	9	7	3	1	1	1	-	1
Sales	1 158	336	261	130	104	87	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
farms	1 158	336	261	130	104	87	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
number	1 158	336	261	130	104	87	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)
dollars	82 770	18 500	7 775	9 545	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 24. Summary by Size of Farm: 1987—Con.

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Item	Total	Less than 3 acres	3 to 9 acres	10 to 19 acres	20 to 49 acres	50 to 99 acres	100 to 174 acres	175 to 259 acres	260 to 499 acres	500 to 999 acres	1,000 acres or more
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS—Con.											
Cattle and calves											
farms	95	8	25	12	20	12	4	4	4	3	3
number	5 078	28	173	115	284	445	173	381	747	748	1 984
Sales											
farms	70	4	13	8	13	13	4	4	4	3	3
number	1 555	6	28	37	97	194	22	83	64	384	640
dollars	613 392	2 690	11 765	18 536	29 367	61 824	10 093	30 750	21 510	146 427	280 428
Cows											
farms	77	3	29	7	17	12	4	4	4	3	3
number	2 499	6	50	45	106	226	96	181	395	444	920
Sales											
farms	451	1	14	9	22	56	8	78	23	62	178
number	186 219	400	7 245	5 000	10 072	23 408	3 093	27 750	9 700	35 430	64 121
dollars											
Heifers and heifer calves 1 year old or older											
farms	65	6	11	6	15	10	3	4	4	3	3
number	1 130	14	31	19	91	128	23	101	213	87	423
Sales											
farms	312	3	8	12	20	22	3	—	—	54	190
number	127 773	1 200	2 100	3 650	8 250	8 300	1 500	—	—	26 460	76 313
Bulls, bull calves, steers, and steer calves 1 year old or older											
farms	66	4	10	8	15	11	4	4	4	3	3
number	488	(D)	22	21	31	40	(D)	27	36	53	246
Sales											
farms	479	2	4	15	23	39	11	5	16	97	267
number	266 147	1 090	2 200	9 780	7 245	19 616	5 500	3 000	9 935	68 327	139 454
Calves under 1 year old											
farms	57	2	12	7	12	7	4	4	3	3	3
number	901	(D)	40	30	55	51	(D)	72	103	164	395
Sales											
farms	313	—	220	108	3 800	10 500	—	—	1 875	16 210	540
number	33 253	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Livestock sales											
farms	150	27	43	20	28	15	6	3	4	3	3
number	838 554	58 360	35 597	42 478	48 281	101 124	19 103	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Milk sales											
farms	6	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	3	1	—
number	2 097 423	—	—	—	—	(D)	—	—	1 288 210	(D)	—
dollars	1 042 698	—	—	—	—	(D)	—	—	601 916	(D)	—
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS											
Chickens											
farms	65	20	30	5	7	1	—	1	—	—	1
number	5 326	1 260	2 554	307	595	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
Sales											
farms	14	3	5	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—
number	1 666	315	834	107	410	—	—	—	—	—	—
dollars	2 276	472	(D)	(D)	615	—	—	—	—	—	—
5 months old or older											
farms	19	17	21	5	4	1	—	1	—	—	1
number	2 690	849	1 025	212	449	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	(D)
Turkeys, ducks, geese, and other poultry											
farms	21	6	10	3	3	—	—	1	1	—	—
number	727	319	326	—	(D)	—	—	(D)	(D)	—	—
Sales											
farms	5	2	1	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
number	345	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—
dollars	1 013	(D)	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chicken egg sales											
farms	22	9	9	1	2	—	—	1	—	—	—
dozens	11 279	2 510	5 224	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
dollars	13 542	2 994	6 839	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Poultry and egg sales											
farms	30	10	11	3	5	—	—	1	—	—	—
dollars	16 831	(D)	7 919	339	2 672	—	—	(D)	—	—	—

¹Detail may not add to total due to rounding.

Table 25. Summary by Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1987

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	\$100 to \$499	\$500 to \$1,199	\$1,200 to \$2,499	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$5,000 to \$7,499	\$7,500 to \$9,999	\$10,000 or more
F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS								
Farms	267	85	53	40	33	13	8	35
Percent of farms	100.0	31.8	18.9	15.0	12.4	4.9	3.0	13.7
Land in farms	17,785	765	712	737	1,238	368	271	13,707
Percent distribution	100.0	4.3	4.0	4.1	6.9	2.1	1.5	77.1
Average size of farm	66.6	9.0	13.4	18.4	37.2	28.3	33.9	391.6
L LAND USE								
Total cropland	farms	206	64	44	32	25	8	28
	acres	1,899	120	220	64	144	33	1,269
Harvested	farms	200	64	43	32	25	7	24
	acres	608	67	65	(D)	60	(D)	324
Other	farms	49	14	12	7	4	(D)	10
	acres	1,291	61	155	(D)	84	(D)	975
Pasture or grazing land	farms	154	46	25	26	20	11	20
	acres	13,390	480	413	584	944	196	239
Woodland	farms	49	15	4	7	5	4	13
	acres	1,836	73	(D)	35	41	28	(D)
Other land	farms	192	63	40	26	24	9	24
	acres	660	84	(D)	55	96	111	(D)
T TENURE OF OPERATOR								
All operators	farms	267	85	53	40	33	13	35
	acres	17,785	765	712	737	1,226	368	271
Full owners	farms	201	72	42	29	22	9	19
	acres	6,478	652	510	516	819	159	271
Part owners	farms	36	6	3	5	9	4	-
	acres	9,962	71	(D)	124	(D)	209	9,094
Managers	farms	7	1	1	2	1	-	3
	acres	291	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	-	227
Tenants	farms	23	6	7	4	2	-	4
	acres	1,054	(D)	88	(D)	(D)	-	836
F FARMS BY SIZE								
Farms	267	85	53	40	33	13	8	35
Less than 3 acres	farms	80	36	21	7	8	1	5
3 to 9 acres	farms	81	31	14	20	7	3	5
10 to 19 acres	farms	32	9	6	5	3	3	4
20 to 49 acres	farms	37	7	9	5	7	5	3
50 to 99 acres	farms	16	-	2	2	5	-	1
100 to 249 acres	farms	175 to 259 acres	6	2	1	-	1	6
250 to 499 acres	farms	4	-	-	1	2	-	2
500 to 999 acres	farms	5	-	-	1	-	-	4
1,000 acres or more	farms	3	-	-	-	-	-	3
F FARMS BY TYPE OF HOLDING								
Home consumption holding	44	31	9	3	1	-	-	-
Sale holdings	223	54	44	37	32	13	8	35
Vegetable	31	5	5	5	7	-	1	8
Field and forage crop	3	2	1	-	-	-	1	-
Fruit and nut	43	15	10	6	5	4	2	1
Dairy	5	-	-	-	-	-	1	6
Livestock	100	21	19	29	15	5	5	12
Poultry	3	1	1	1	1	-	-	-
Nursery	8	2	-	1	-	-	-	5
Mixed	29	8	9	4	4	1	-	3
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
O OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS								
Operators by place of residence:								
On farm operated	189	63	38	25	25	7	6	25
Not on farm operated	78	22	15	15	8	6	2	10
Operators by years on present farm:								
Less than 2 years	25	8	9	2	1	1	-	4
2 to 4 years	27	7	4	4	4	1	2	5
5 to 9 years	50	11	5	11	6	4	2	11
10 years or more	165	59	35	23	22	7	4	15
Operators by place of birth:								
Virgin Islands	166	52	36	27	26	8	4	13
Puerto Rico	11	5	2	-	1	-	2	-
Elsewhere	90	28	15	13	6	4	4	20
Operators by age group:								
Under 25 years	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
25 to 34 years	19	6	1	2	1	-	2	-
35 to 44 years	34	7	4	9	5	2	6	-
45 to 54 years	63	16	12	10	8	3	1	13
55 to 64 years	65	20	12	8	9	4	2	10
65 years or more	85	36	19	11	9	1	3	6
Average age	57	60	57	54	55	50	56	55
Operators by main occupation:								
Agricultural	number	159	46	30	18	8	5	28
	acres	14,542	360	356	551	792	158	74
Nonagricultural	number	108	39	23	22	9	5	12,254
	acres	3,243	405	357	186	434	212	1,453
Operators by days of work off farm:								
None		94	35	20	10	9	1	2
Any		173	50	33	30	24	12	18
1 to 49 days		13	4	3	3	2	1	-
50 to 99 days		8	2	-	1	2	1	-
100 to 149 days		15	5	3	4	2	-	1
150 to 199 days		18	8	8	1	-	-	1
200 days or more		19	31	19	22	19	10	14

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Table 25. Summary by Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1987—Con.

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Item	Total	\$100 to \$499	\$500 to \$1,199	\$1,200 to \$2,499	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$5,000 to \$7,499	\$7,500 to \$9,999	\$10,000 or more
LABOR STATUS								
Farms								
number	266	85	52	40	33	13	8	35
workers	660	162	116	87	101	28	15	151
Unpaid labor								
farms	247	83	49	39	73	12	7	29
workers	404	137	81	75	12	10	6	98
Less than 25 days								
farms	14	1	3	2	4	2	—	—
workers	19	(D)	4	(D)	5	(D)	—	(D)
25 to 149 days								
farms	43	17	8	8	5	3	1	1
workers	66	(D)	10	(D)	8	5	(D)	(D)
150 days or more								
farms	212	68	43	33	29	10	6	23
workers	349	110	67	58	60	(D)	(D)	35
Hired farm labor								
farms	100	18	23	9	15	5	4	32
workers	226	25	35	11	28	9	5	113
Less than 25 days								
farms	21	9	4	1	3	1	1	2
workers	28	11	6	(D)	6	(D)	(D)	(D)
25 to 149 days								
farms	42	5	14	3	8	3	1	8
workers	62	6	18	(D)	12	(D)	(D)	(D)
150 days or more								
farms	51	4	5	5	5	1	2	28
workers	136	8	11	6	10	(D)	(D)	95
Not reported		1	—	1	—	—	—	—
SELECTED EQUIPMENT								
Tractors of all kinds								
farms	44	5	6	4	10	—	2	17
number	76	(D)	7	6	18	—	(D)	38
Motortrucks								
farms	145	37	23	19	24	9	4	29
number	174	43	24	24	28	10	4	41
Automobiles								
farms	136	38	31	22	18	7	3	17
number	160	43	36	28	20	9	4	20
F FARMS BY SPECIFIED FACILITIES								
Electricity								
farms	228	72	45	31	28	11	8	33
No electricity								
farms	39	13	8	9	5	2	—	2
Piped running water								
farms	215	65	41	31	28	11	7	32
No piped running water								
farms	52	20	12	9	5	2	1	3
Wells								
farms	111	24	22	13	15	6	3	28
number	202	27	27	23	24	9	4	99
Reporting no wells		156	61	31	27	18	7	7
VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD								
Total sales								
farms	267	85	53	40	33	13	8	35
dollars	2 685 351	18 885	40 081	69 383	111 346	74 772	67 599	2 303 185
Average per farm								
dollars	10 057	222	756	1 735	3 374	5 752	8 462	65 805
Farms by value of sales:								
\$100 to \$499								
farms	85	85	—	—	—	—	—	—
dollars	18 885	18 885	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$500 to \$1,199								
farms	53	—	53	—	—	—	—	—
dollars	40 081	—	40 081	—	—	—	—	—
\$1,200 to \$2,499								
farms	40	—	—	40	—	—	—	—
dollars	69 383	—	—	69 383	—	—	—	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999								
farms	33	—	—	—	33	—	—	—
dollars	111 346	—	—	—	111 346	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$7,499								
farms	13	—	—	—	—	13	—	—
dollars	74 772	—	—	—	—	74 772	—	—
\$7,500 to \$9,999								
farms	8	—	—	—	—	—	8	—
dollars	67 599	—	—	—	—	—	67 599	—
\$10,000 or more								
farms	35	—	—	—	—	—	—	35
dollars	2 303 185	—	—	—	—	—	—	2 303 185
SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP OR PRODUCT								
Forage, field, and vegetable crops								
farms	93	21	20	15	15	3	2	17
dollars	399 221	3 839	(D)	12 703	(D)	3 526	(D)	338 296
Fruits and nuts								
farms	140	39	31	24	21	6	4	15
dollars	416 817	6 211	12 709	(D)	24 083	21 807	15 100	(D)
Ornamental plants and other nursery products								
farms	19	3	2	2	2	1	—	9
dollars	241 230	280	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	—	236 250
Livestock								
farms	150	38	27	26	21	13	6	19
dollars	838 554	8 398	16 319	32 101	55 729	48 860	43 786	633 381
Milk								
farms	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	6
dollars	1 042 698	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 042 698
Poultry and eggs								
farms	30	4	5	8	8	2	1	2
dollars	16 831	157	867	6 499	8 226	(D)	(D)	(D)
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES								
Machine hire and customwork								
farms	84	20	16	10	8	6	2	22
dollars	120 640	13 565	(D)	8 310	8 693	11 458	(D)	63 089
Hired farm labor								
farms	106	18	23	9	15	5	4	32
dollars	896 660	27 767	31 275	17 100	44 186	10 800	26 100	739 432
Feed purchased for livestock and poultry								
farms	148	39	28	24	22	11	4	20
dollars	742 512	27 639	18 392	32 356	39 143	19 184	13 750	592 048
Insecticides, fungicides, and herbicides								
farms	115	27	20	17	20	6	3	22
dollars	46 436	2 618	1 440	2 944	4 263	1 941	1 590	31 640
Fertilizers and manure purchased								
farms	66	15	9	11	11	3	1	16
dollars	34 989	(D)	1 182	3 410	3 045	1 150	(D)	23 949
Livestock and poultry purchased								
farms	43	8	7	8	7	5	2	6
dollars	66 495	4 960	5 000	7 375	23 695	(D)	(D)	20 245

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Item	Total	\$100 to \$499	\$500 to \$1,199	\$1,200 to \$2,499	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$5,000 to \$7,499	\$7,500 to \$9,999	\$10,000 or more
SELECTED FRUITS, NUTS, AND TREE CROPS								
Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit trees and plants								
farms	181	55	41	31	23	7	4	20
acres	347	63	54	48	50	30	10	92
Avocados								
farms	137	42	32	23	21	5	3	11
trees not of bearing age	807	182	210	161	130	30	—	94
trees of bearing age	1 449	363	346	123	168	98	99	252
number harvested	41 206	4 035	5 256	2 950	4 215	7 650	9 500	7 600
Sales								
number	32 494	1 593	3 411	2 100	3 140	7 450	9 200	5 600
dollars	23 914	1 163	2 243	1 628	2 345	4 200	7 360	4 975
Bananas								
farms	120	35	24	21	19	4	2	15
hills not of bearing age	6 348	(D)	807	864	1 473	764	(D)	1 206
hills of bearing age	6 706	(D)	1 205	693	1 300	500	(D)	2 206
bunches harvested	5 881	(D)	509	587	1 489	560	(D)	2 381
Sales								
bunches	4 666	(D)	252	224	1 349	510	(D)	2 157
dollars	38 891	(D)	1 570	1 647	7 098	5 600	(D)	21 851
Coconuts								
farms	123	39	31	17	18	4	2	12
trees not of bearing age	3 193	(D)	178	413	234	45	(D)	2 137
trees of bearing age	2 011	(D)	445	206	246	104	(D)	755
number harvested	19 977	(D)	3 634	5 325	1 370	1 700	(D)	7 400
Sales								
number	13 070	(D)	1 220	2 550	980	1 500	(D)	6 400
dollars	11 979	(D)	1 055	2 160	980	1 200	(D)	6 220
Grapefruit								
farms	49	17	14	8	4	2	—	4
trees not of bearing age	250	112	37	24	(D)	(D)	—	68
trees of bearing age	166	37	25	63	(D)	(D)	—	18
pounds harvested	3 419	154	540	1 240	(D)	(D)	—	1 020
Sales								
pounds	2 009	—	184	1 000	(D)	(D)	—	500
dollars	1 484	—	114	700	(D)	(D)	—	500
Limes and lemons								
farms	116	38	23	17	16	5	4	13
trees not of bearing age	387	85	59	85	30	20	2	106
trees of bearing age	905	173	179	72	182	66	101	132
pounds harvested	11 359	2 460	1 381	712	1 676	415	1 135	3 580
Sales								
pounds	7 209	360	635	383	1 066	410	955	3 400
dollars	5 311	213	570	284	943	400	790	2 111
Mangoes								
farms	146	45	33	25	20	6	4	13
trees not of bearing age	971	172	93	181	152	37	—	336
trees of bearing age	2 881	452	331	358	750	107	67	816
number harvested	171 104	17 906	24 543	24 255	28 100	17 300	19 500	39 500
Sales								
number	128 640	7 335	15 850	17 905	23 950	17 000	16 200	30 400
dollars	44 007	2 585	4 882	5 930	7 690	6 320	5 300	11 300
Oranges								
farms	57	24	13	7	6	1	—	6
trees not of bearing age	516	267	48	9	(D)	(D)	—	159
trees of bearing age	489	107	41	248	(D)	(D)	—	60
pounds harvested	7 331	997	670	4 890	(D)	(D)	—	264
Sales								
pounds	3 620	310	135	2 750	(D)	(D)	—	25
dollars	1 668	230	125	1 100	(D)	(D)	—	20
Papayas								
farms	76	23	16	10	12	4	3	8
trees not of bearing age	350	121	14	36	100	20	4	55
trees of bearing age	337	120	223	114	139	120	46	175
pounds harvested	9 588	818	1 250	740	1 385	1 750	600	3 045
Sales								
pounds	7 466	310	755	420	1 136	1 700	550	2 595
dollars	5 430	163	443	401	973	950	600	1 900
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS								
Horses, colts, and ponies								
farms	28	12	1	2	4	1	1	7
number	224	143	(D)	(D)	19	(D)	(D)	44
Sales								
farms	3	1	—	—	—	1	1	—
number	7	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	(D)	—
Mules, asses, and burros								
farms	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
number	(D)	—	—	—	(D)	—	—	—
Sales								
farms	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
number	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
dollars	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sheep and lambs								
farms	54	16	6	12	7	4	2	7
number	3 134	445	(D)	360	345	550	(D)	750
Sales								
farms	910	12	(D)	66	82	123	(D)	466
number	50 736	(D)	(D)	3 913	3 636	9 425	(D)	24 906
Goats and kids								
farms	93	34	12	15	14	6	2	10
number	3 315	929	335	350	715	(D)	(D)	498
Sales								
farms	64	22	9	9	9	6	2	7
number	928	54	71	85	236	(D)	(D)	161
dollars	47 130	3 930	3 600	5 235	11 110	(D)	(D)	10 000
Hogs and pigs								
farms	62	14	14	10	8	6	2	8
number	2 538	327	(D)	325	320	271	(D)	860
Sales								
farms	44	8	10	8	4	6	2	6
number	1 424	25	(D)	106	75	217	(D)	715
dollars	125 226	1 911	(D)	7 185	5 150	15 960	(D)	79 460
Under 8 months old								
farms	56	12	13	9	6	6	2	8
number	1 378	166	(D)	200	162	141	(D)	452
Sales								
farms	645	8	(D)	56	44	109	(D)	260
number	42 458	536	(D)	3 160	2 050	7 830	(D)	20 460
8 months old or older								
farms	58	14	12	10	8	5	2	7
number	1 158	171	(D)	125	158	130	(D)	405
Sales								
farms	779	17	(D)	50	31	108	(D)	455
number	82 770	1 375	(D)	4 025	3 100	8 130	(D)	59 000

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 25. Summary by Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1987—Con.

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Total	\$100 to \$499	\$500 to \$1,199	\$1,200 to \$2,499	\$2,500 to \$4,999	\$5,000 to \$7,499	\$7,500 to \$9,999	\$10,000 or more
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS—								
Con.								
Cattle and calves								
farms	95	14	16	17	21	7	2	18
number	5 078	(D)	233	217	405	90	(D)	3 966
farms	70	5	11	14	16	5	3	16
number	1 555	5	19	35	119	27	38	1 312
dollars	613 392	1 493	7 917	15 768	35 833	13 100	20 266	519 015
Cows								
farms	77	12	13	16	13	4	2	17
number	2 499	(D)	110	102	147	47	(D)	2 016
farms	451	8	15	31	9	(D)	(D)	373
number	186 219	(D)	2 617	7 608	12 000	5 350	(D)	151 401
Heifers and heifer calves 1 year old or older								
farms	65	4	10	13	16	4	2	16
number	1 130	(D)	45	61	131	6	(D)	853
farms	312	3	2	2	25	5	(D)	266
number	127 773	(D)	1 200	500	9 800	1 250	(D)	111 073
Bulls, bull calves, steers, and steer calves 1 year old or older								
farms	66	6	13	12	13	3	2	17
number	488	(D)	38	23	39	8	(D)	360
farms	479	(D)	8	17	21	13	(D)	404
number	266 147	(D)	4 100	7 550	8 525	6 500	(D)	229 016
Calves under 1 year old								
farms	57	8	9	7	12	4	—	17
number	961	36	40	31	88	29	—	737
farms	313	1	—	—	42	—	—	269
number	33 253	110	—	110	5 508	—	—	27 525
Livestock sales								
farms	150	38	27	26	21	13	6	19
dollars	838 554	8 398	16 319	32 101	55 729	48 860	43 766	633 381
Milk sales								
farms	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	6
quarts	2 097 423	—	—	—	—	—	—	2 097 423
dollars	1 042 698	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 042 698
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS								
Chickens								
farms	65	20	10	12	10	6	2	5
number	5 326	986	813	1 117	2 085	(D)	(D)	154
farms	14	1	1	4	5	1	1	1
number	1 666	(D)	(D)	520	825	(D)	(D)	(D)
farms	2 276	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
number	49	14	8	10	9	3	2	3
farms	2 690	218	582	562	1 154	(D)	(D)	85
Turkeys, ducks, geese, and other poultry								
farms	21	7	—	6	5	1	—	2
number	727	190	—	273	222	(D)	(D)	(D)
farms	5	1	—	1	2	—	—	1
number	345	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
farms	1 013	(D)	—	(D)	(D)	—	—	(D)
Chicken egg sales								
farms	22	2	5	7	6	1	—	1
dozens	11 279	(D)	708	4 874	5 285	(D)	(D)	(D)
dollars	13 542	(D)	(D)	5 689	6 374	—	—	(D)
Poultry and egg sales								
farms	30	4	5	8	8	2	1	2
dollars	16 831	157	867	6 499	8 226	(D)	(D)	(D)

¹Detail may not add to total due to rounding.

APPENDIX A.

General Explanation

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TAKING THE CENSUS

Report Form

The report form for the 1987 Census of Agriculture was prepared by the Outlying Areas Branch of the Agriculture Division, Bureau of the Census, in cooperation with the Department of Economic Development and Agriculture of the Virgin Islands. The questions were based on current requirements for agricultural information and, to some extent, on the desire for comparability with earlier censuses.

The only modification made to the 1987 census report form was the elimination of the question concerning whether or not the farm was located on a hard surface road.

Training Program

The project manager, crew leader, and enumerators employed for the census in the Virgin Islands received special training in accordance with instructions prepared by the Bureau of the Census. The training included practice in interviewing, filling out the report form, and detailed discussion of the enumerator's instructions.

Method of Enumeration

As in the previous censuses of the Virgin Islands, the direct enumeration procedure was used in the 1987 Census of Agriculture. The statistics in this report are data collected from farm operators during the period from July to the middle of August 1988. For the enumeration, the Virgin Islands were divided into six Enumeration Districts (ED's) and each district was clearly delineated on special ED maps prepared for the census.

Each enumerator was assigned an ED and given a map of the area to be enumerated. The enumerators were also given a list of the persons from whom a report form had been obtained in the 1982 Census of Agriculture as well as other persons known to be conducting farm operations. The enumerators were required to check all persons on their list.

Enumerators were also instructed to ask enough questions about tracts of land on which no one lived to determine whether agricultural data should be collected from the person in charge of the land. This procedure was designed to assure the complete coverage of all land used for agriculture, whether by an individual, a corporation, or an institution.

To avoid enumeration of the same place more than once, rules were established whereby enumerators could determine who was responsible for completing a report form for a given place. If the person in charge of an agricultural operation lived outside of the ED in which the land under his/her control was located, the enumerator assigned to the ED in which the operator resided was responsible for completing his/her report form. If a place was partly in one ED and partly in another, the enumerator for the ED in which the operator lived was responsible for completing the report form to include all the land the person operated in the Virgin Islands, regardless of the ED.

OFFICE PROCESSING

The office processing was done in the Agriculture Division at the Bureau of the Census. Each report form was edited and coded prior to being data keyed. Report forms obtained for places not meeting the census farm definition criteria were voided. The remaining report forms were examined for accuracy, consistency, and completeness. Enumerators' errors in computations and in units of measures, inconsistencies, and misplaced entries were corrected. Missing information was derived and entered on incomplete reports on the basis of related information on the same report form or from report forms for nearby farms of similar type and size.

After all the forms had been edited and coded, the data were keyed and subjected to a thorough computer edit analysis. Any inconsistencies were reviewed, corrected, and keyed to a correction file. The corrected data were then tabulated by the computer and printed out for review.

Subject matter specialists reviewed the computer tabulations for reasonableness and consistency. Corrections were made on the basis of a reexamination of the original report forms. The data were then retabulated and a printout was provided so that the data tables could be prepared for final publication.

DEFINITIONS AND EXPLANATIONS

The following definitions and explanations relate to items that are considered to be inadequately described in

the tables. Most of the definitions are from the instructions given to enumerators. For an exact wording of the questions and instructions on the report form, see the report form in appendix C.

Farm operator—The term “operator” designates a person who operates a farm, either by doing the work himself/herself or by directly supervising the work. The operator may be the owner, a member of the owner's household, a hired manager, or a tenant, renter, or sharecropper. If the operator rents land to others or has land worked on shares by others, he/she is considered the operator only of the land retained for his/her own operation. In the case of partnership, only one partner is counted as an operator. By definition, the number of operators is the same as the number of farms.

Farm or operators reporting—Figures for “farms reporting” or “operators reporting” represent the number of farms, or operators reporting the specified item. The difference between the total number of farms and the number of farms reporting a particular item represents the number of farms not having that item, provided a correct report was received for all farms.

Land in farms—All data relating to land tenure and land in farms refer only to land located in the Virgin Islands and the situation existing at the time of enumeration. The land included in each farm was determined from the answers to questions 1 through 5 in section 2 of the report form which relate to land tenure (see app. C). The acres reported as owned, rented from others, or worked on shares for others, were added together, and then the acres rented to others or worked on shares by others were subtracted from that sum. The results represent “Land in farms.” If acres are operated by a hired or salaried manager, they become the total acres in the place and represent “Land in farms.” (See “Land managed” below).

Although the area designated land in farms consists primarily of agricultural land—i.e., land used for crops, pasture, or grazing—it also includes land not actually under cultivation nor used for pasture or grazing. For example, woodland and wasteland owned or rented from others was included as land in farms unless reports indicated it was being held for nonagricultural purposes, such as recreational or for timber.

Land owned—This includes all land that the operator or his/her spouse held under title, purchase contract, homestead law, or as heir or trustee of an undivided estate at the time of enumeration.

Land rented from others—This includes not only land the operator rented or leased from others, but also land worked on shares for others or land occupied rent free.

Land managed—This includes all tracts of land managed for an employer by a person paid a salary or wages. A hired manager is the operator of the managed

land, since he/she is responsible for the agricultural operations and frequently supervises others in performing those operations. If a hired manager also had agricultural operations of his/her own, he/she was asked to report it on a separate report form from the managed operations.

Land rented to others—This includes all land that the operator rented to others and all land assigned to others on shares or rent free. For the most part, land rented to others represents agricultural land, but it also includes land rented for residential or other purposes. The tenant is considered to be the operator of land leased, rented, or worked on shares, even though his/her landlord may supervise the operations. The landlord is considered to be the operator of only that portion of the land not assigned to tenants.

Land use—Land in farms at the time of enumeration is categorized according to the way it was used during the 12-month period between July 1, 1987, and June 30, 1988. The land uses described are mutually exclusive in that each acre of land is counted only once even though it may have had more than one use during the year.

Harvested cropland—This refers to all land from which any crop was harvested during the 12-month period, whether for home use or sale. It also includes land in field crops that were grazed when mature or almost mature, and land in nonbearing fruit or nut trees and plants. Land from which two or more crops were harvested was to be counted only once. Land from which crops were harvested and which was also used for other purposes, either before or after the crops were harvested, was to be reported as cropland harvested without regard to the other uses.

Other cropland—This includes cropland from which no crop was harvested between July 1, 1987, and June 30, 1988, but which was occupied by growing crops, except fruit or nut trees, intended for harvest in 1988 or later. It also includes cropland intended for harvest, but not actually harvested because of complete crop failure, low prices, labor shortage, or other reasons; land that had been plowed and could be plowed again without first being cleared of brush, but that lay idle throughout July 1, 1987, to June 30, 1988; and land used for soil-improvement crops. Other cropland also includes land which was used only for pasture or grazing which the operator could have used for crops without additional clearing or irrigating. Enumerators were instructed to exclude any land pastured after a crop was harvested.

Pasture or grazing land—This refers to all land used for pasture or grazing between July 1, 1987, to June 30, 1988, except cropland. It includes all woodland where livestock pastured or grazed.

Woodland not pastured—This includes all woodland that was not used for pasture or grazing between July 1, 1987, to June 30, 1988. In the enumerator's reference book, "woodland" was defined as "all farm wood lots or timber tracts, natural or planted; and...cutover land with young growth which has or will have value as wood or timber."

Other land—This refers to all land not included in the other land use classifications, such as house and other building lots, lanes, roads, ditches, and land area of ponds and wasteland.

Type of holding—Holdings are classified according to whether they were producing mainly for home consumption or mainly for sale. Those from which more than 50 percent of the agricultural output is consumed by the holder's household are classified as producing mainly for home consumption. Those from which 50 percent or more of the agricultural output is sold are classified as mainly for sale. Holdings producing mainly for sale are further classified according to their most important activity. Each holding named means that 50 percent or more of the value of sales was from the item named. The holdings are: vegetable, field and forage crop, fruit and nut, dairy, livestock, poultry, or nursery. The remaining two categories of holdings are used when the above do not apply.

Mixed holding—This is one on which none of the above items accounts for 50 percent or more of the value of sales.

Other holding—This is one that does not belong to any of the previous groups.

Crops harvested—The 1987 report form was similar to the report forms used in previous censuses. It provided for the collection of data for specified field crops, vegetables, fruits, and nuts harvested on each farm. Inquiries were included for the most commonly grown crops in the Virgin Islands and space was provided to write in those less frequently produced.

The units of measure for reporting quantities of some crops have varied from one census to another. The aim has been to permit reporting in the units of measure currently in use. The quantities harvested for each crop are expressed in the units of measure given on the 1987 report form.

Forage, field, and vegetable crops—The area for individual crops harvested was obtained for forage, field, and vegetable crops in acres and 10th of acres. When two or more crops, or two or more plantings of the same crop, were harvested from the same land, the area was to be reported for each separate crop or planting. Total quantities of each forage and field crop harvested were to be reported, whether the crops were

for home use or for sale. Also, total quantities of each crop sold were to be reported. The acreage reported for vegetables relates only to the acreage harvested.

Fruits and nuts—The figures for acres and for number of trees and plants relate to the time of enumeration.

Value of products sold—Data for value of products sold were obtained for each type of crop, fruit, livestock, etc., sold from the farm. The gross value of quantities sold was to be reported regardless of who did the selling or shared in the receipts. Crops given to a landlord and crops produced on institutional farms for use by inmates of the institution were to be considered as sold.

Livestock and poultry—Inventory data for livestock and poultry relate to the number on hand at the time of enumeration. All livestock and poultry were to be enumerated on the place where they were at the time of enumeration regardless of who owned them. Livestock on unfenced land were to be reported as being on the place identified as the headquarters of the person who had control over them.

Sales data for livestock, milk, and poultry products relate to the 12-month period between July 1, 1987, and June 30, 1988. Enumerators were instructed to report total quantities and gross value of sales regardless of who did the selling or shared in the receipts. Products given by a tenant to a landlord and products taken from an institutional farm for use by inmates of the institutional farm were to be considered as sold.

Selected farm expenses—The 1987 report form contained questions on six types of farm expenses incurred between July 1, 1987, and June 30, 1988, whether made by the farm operator, his/her landlord, or both. A farm operator who rented part of his/her land to others reported only the expenses on the land he/she operated.

Machine hire and customwork—Expenses for machine hire and customwork relate to tractor hire, plowing, and spraying. Any amount spent for the labor involved is considered to be part of the expense. The costs of hauling, trucking, or of exchange work without pay are omitted.

Hired farm labor—Expenses for hired farm labor include total cash payments made between July 1, 1987, and June 30, 1988, to family members and others for farm labor. Payments to persons supplied by a contractor or a cooperative organization and paid directly by them or by the person in charge are also included. Payments are excluded for housework, contract construction work, customwork, and repair and installation work performed by persons specifically employed for the work.

Purchases of feed—Expenses for feed for livestock and poultry include total cash payments made between July 1, 1987, to June 30, 1988, for pasture used, salt,

concentrates, mineral supplements, grain, hay, mill-feeds, and any other items purchased for feeding livestock and poultry on the place. Expenses made for the grinding and mixing of feed and the estimated cost of items furnished to the operator by a landlord or others are also included. Payments made by a tenant to a landlord for feed on the tenant's farm are excluded.

Purchases of insecticides, fungicides, and herbicides—This item relates to total cash expenses between July 1, 1987, and June 30, 1988, for all chemicals, sprays, dusts, etc., used to control weeds, pests, insects, or disease on crops and livestock.

Purchases of fertilizers and manure—These expenses include the total amount spent between July 1, 1987, and June 30, 1988, for manure and commercial fertilizers of all kinds for use on the farm.

Purchases of livestock and poultry—This item includes all cash expenses for livestock and poultry purchased between July 1, 1987, to June 30, 1988, for the place. The cost of livestock and poultry bought and resold within 30 days is not included.

Equipment and facilities—Operators were asked to report the number of tractors, motortrucks, and automobiles on their farms at the time of enumeration, regardless of ownership. Items that were temporarily out of order were to be included, but not those that were worn out. Tractors include all wheel and tracklaying (crawlers), garden, and homemade. Motortrucks include pickup trucks, truck-trailer combinations, jeeps, and station wagons if they were used primarily as trucks. Automobiles include jeeps and station wagons if they were used primarily as passenger cars. Data obtained in the 1987 census for the number of tractors, motortrucks, and automobiles on farms are comparable with those presented for earlier census years.

Since the 1960 census, data were obtained on presence or absence of electricity and piped running water on the farm. These facilities were considered to be on the farm if they were available anywhere on the place, whether or not in the operator's dwelling. "Piped running water" was defined as "water carried in pipelines by a pressure system or by gravity flow from a natural or an artificial source."

Farm wells included all holes or pits made by excavation to reach a supply of water for irrigation, watering livestock, and other purposes. Farm ponds are not included.

Operator characteristics—Data were obtained to classify the operators according to six characteristics.

1. *Residence of operator*—Operators were classified by residence according to whether or not they lived on the farms operated. Some of those who did not live on the farms they operated lived on farms operated by others. Where all the land was rented

from others or worked on shares for others, the operator was considered to live on the farm operated provided the dwelling he/she occupied was included in the rental agreement. In such cases, the dwelling was not necessarily on the land being operated. Similarly, an operator who did not live on the land being cultivated or grazed, but who had some agricultural operations (other than a home garden) at his/her dwelling, was considered to be living on the farm operated.

2. *Years on present farm*—Operators were classified by years on present farm into four groups. These data were based on the request for the first year the operator took continuous charge of the present farm or any part of it.
3. *Place of birth*—Operators were classified by place of birth according to whether they were born in the Virgin Islands, Puerto Rico, or elsewhere. The purpose of this question was to obtain a measure of the native language abilities of operators as a guide to agricultural agents in preparing news releases for distribution to farmers.
4. *Age of operator*—Operators were classified by age into six groups. The average age was obtained by dividing the sum of the ages of all operators reporting by the number reporting.
5. *Main occupation*—This question was asked to determine whether the principal occupation of the operator was agricultural or nonagricultural. If the operator devoted 50 percent or more of his/her work time to agricultural activities, his/her main occupation was considered to be agriculture.
6. *Work off farm*—The extent to which operators rely on nonfarm sources for part of their income is indicated by the number of days worked off the farm during the year. Work off the farm was defined to include work on someone else's farm for pay as well as all types of nonfarm jobs, businesses, and professions whether the work was done on the farm premises or elsewhere. Exchange work was not included. Data for the 1987 census are comparable with those for the censuses since 1960.

FARM CLASSIFICATIONS

Farms by size—Farms were classified by size on the basis of the total land area established in each one. According to the census definition, a farm is essentially an operating unit, not an ownership tract. All land operated or managed by one person or partnership represents one farm. In the case of tenants, the land assigned to each tenant is considered a separate farm, even though the landlord may consider the entire landholding to be one unit rather than several separate units.

Farms by tenure of operator—In the 1987 census, farms were classified by tenure of operator on the basis of data reported for land owned, rented from others, worked on shares for others, and managed for others. The same classification has been used since 1964. During the processing operations, each report form was coded to indicate whether the operator was a full owner, part owner, manager, or tenant.

Full owners—These operate only land they own.

Part owners—These operate land they own and also land they rent from others.

Managers—These operate land for others and are paid a wage or salary for their services. Caretakers or hired laborers are not classified as managers. If an operator managed land for others and also operated his/her own farm, each operation was considered a farm. If a manager managed farms for two or more employers, each operation was considered a separate farm.

Tenants—These rent from others or work the land they operate on shares for others.

Farms by value of agricultural products sold—The farms were classified on the basis of the total value of agricultural products sold. The total was obtained by adding the reported values of all products sold from the farm. The value of livestock, milk, poultry and eggs, vegetables, fruits and nuts, all field crops, ornamental plants, and all other crops was obtained from the operator at the time of enumeration. The computer edit classified

the value of agricultural products sold into one of the following groups:

\$100 to \$499	\$5,000 to \$7,499
\$500 to \$1,199	\$7,500 to \$9,999
\$1,200 to \$2,499	\$10,000 or more
\$2,500 to \$4,999	

Farms by age of operator—Enumerators entered the operator's age, as of his/her last birthday, on the report form. The computer edit classified the operator's age into one of the following age groups:

Under 25 years	45 to 54 years
25 to 34 years	55 to 64 years
35 to 44 years	65 years and over

RELIABILITY OF DATA

All data compiled in this report originated from a complete enumeration and, therefore, are not subject to sampling variability. However, the data are subject to nonsampling errors. Nonsampling errors can be attributed to many sources: inability to identify all cases in the actual universe; inability or unwillingness on the part of respondents to provide correct information; definition and classification difficulties; differences in the interpretation of questions; errors in recording or coding the data obtained; and other errors of collection, response, coverage, and estimation for missing or misreported data.

The accuracy of these tabulated data is determined by the joint effects of the various nonsampling errors. No direct measures of these effects have been obtained; however, precautionary steps were taken in all phases of data collection, processing, and tabulation of the data in an effort to minimize the effects of nonsampling errors.

APPENDIX B.

Selected Data by Current and Prior Farm Definitions: 1987 and 1982

[For enumeration periods, see appendix A; and for meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Selected data	1987 data by 1987 definition	1982 data		Selected data	1987 data by 1987 definition	1982 data	
		1987 definition	1982 definition			1987 definition	1982 definition
F FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS							
Farms	267	259	303				
Land in farms ¹	17 795	17 778	20 824				
Average size of farms	66.6	68.6	68.7				
L LAND USE							
Total cropland	farms... 206	201	233	forage, field, and vegetable crops	farms... 93	68	69
	acres... 1 899	1 569	1 823		dollars... 399 221	(D)	212 152
Harvested	farms... 200	196	227		dollars... 140	(D)	130
	acres... 608	690	819		dollars... 146 817	(D)	145 796
Other	farms... 49	48	60	ornamental plants and other nursery products	farms... 19	9	9
	acres... 1 291	879	1 004		dollars... 241 230	89 700	89 700
Pasture or grazing land	farms... 154	148	171	livestock	farms... 150	165	168
	acres... 13 340	13 365	15 925		dollars... 838 554	705 629	705 849
Woodland	farms... 49	38	58	milk	farms... 6	10	10
	acres... 1 836	1 604	1 713		dollars... 1 042 698	922 830	922 830
Other land	farms... 192	199	237	poultry and eggs	farms... 30	21	21
	acres... 660	1 237	1 304		dollars... 16 831	315 586	315 586
F FARMS BY SIZE							
Less than 3 acres	80	75	75	selected farm production expenses			
3 to 9 acres	81	90	114	machine hire and customwork	dollars... 120 640	123 015	135 843
10 to 19 acres	32	24	32	hired farm labor	dollars... 896 660	887 029	905 657
20 to 49 acres	37	28	34	feed purchased for livestock and poultry	dollars... 742 512	(D)	999 645
50 to 99 acres	16	16	18	insecticides, fungicides, and herbicides	dollars... 46 436	74 467	74 977
100 to 199 acres	6	10	12	fertilizers and manure purchased	dollars... 34 989	(D)	66 540
175 to 259 acres	4	4	6	livestock and poultry purchased	dollars... 66 495	(D)	75 170
260 to 499 acres	5	6	6				
500 to 999 acres	3	4	4				
1,000 acres or more	3	2	3				
V VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD							
Total sales	farms... 267	259	265	livestock and poultry inventory			
	dollars... 2 685 351	2 391 506	2 391 916	horses, colts, and ponies	dollars... 224	125	151
Average per farm	do... 10 057	9 234	9 026	sheep and lambs	dollars... 3 134	2 814	2 889
				hogs and pigs	dollars... 2 536	(D)	2 404
				cattle and calves	dollars... 5 078	5 578	5 672
				chickens	dollars... 5 326	(D)	18 345
A ACRES OF SELECTED CROPS HARVESTED							
Field crops				field crops	dollars... 215	45	(D)
Vegetables					dollars... 82	63	64
Fruits and nuts					dollars... 347	479	603

¹Detail may not add to total due to rounding.

²Includes both farms with less than \$100 in sales and farms with no sales.

APPENDIX C.

Report Form

FORM 87-A1(VI)
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BUREAU OF THE CENSUS

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1987 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE VIRGIN ISLANDS

NOTICE — Response to this inquiry is required by law (Title 13, U.S. Code). By the same law, YOUR REPORT TO THE CENSUS BUREAU IS **CONFIDENTIAL**. It may be used only by authorized Government employees and may be used only for statistical purposes. Your report **CANNOT** be used for purposes of taxation, investigation, or regulation.

FARM SERIAL NUMBER

From A2 column (6)

Section 1 OPERATOR

1. What is your (the operator's) name?

2. What is your (the operator's) mailing address?
(Give address where correspondence is received.)

Full name (First name, middle initials, last name)

Complete mailing address

Section 2 LAND IN AGRICULTURE

1. How many acres do you own? (If you own more than one tract of land, include all land in the Virgin Islands.)

2. How many acres do you rent from others?
(Include acres worked on shares.)

3. How many acres do you operate for others as a hired or salaried manager?

4. How many acres do you rent to others?

5. **TOTAL ACRES IN THIS PLACE** (Add items 1 and 2, subtract item 4; if managed, enter data from item 3 here.) →

None	Acres
<input type="checkbox"/>	041 /10
<input type="checkbox"/>	042 /10
<input type="checkbox"/>	043 /10
<input type="checkbox"/>	044 /10
<input type="checkbox"/>	045 /10

6. How many unpaid and paid farmhands (including the operator and his family) worked on this place the last 12 months?

053 Total farmhands

150 days or more?	25 to 149 days?	Less than 25 days?
054	055	056
057	068	059

7. What type of operating organization does this place have?

(If you are a manager, specify if working for an individual, partnership, corporation, cooperative, estate, trust, etc.)

060
 Individual
 Partnership
 Corporation (Do not include cooperatives)
 Other (Cooperative, estate, trust, etc.)

8. Is this holding producing mainly for home consumption or sale?

061
 Home consumption — Go to section 3
 Sale — Ask item 9

9. If producing mainly for sale, which of the following is it?

082
 Vegetable holding 6 Poultry holding
 Field and forage crop holding 7 Nursery holding
 Fruit and nut holding 8 Mixed holding
 Dairy holding 9 Other — Specify ↗
 Livestock holding

Section 3 CROPS HARVESTED IN THE LAST 12 MONTHS

Include all crops harvested from July 1, 1987 to June 30, 1988 from the land reported in section 2, item 5, whether harvested by you or by someone else. Be sure to include the landlord's share. Do not include crops which were a complete failure or which were not harvested because of drought, labor shortage, low prices, or destruction from any cause. Report tenths of an acre, such as 1/10, 3/10, 1—5/10, etc.

• Were any of these FORAGE crops cultivated on this place in the last 12 months?

None

1. Sugarcane

2. Sorghum

3. TOTAL →

	How many acres were planted? (a)	How many acres were for cutting? (b)	How many acres were for grazing? (c)	How many acres were used for both purposes? (d)	What was the value of sales in the last 12 months? (e)
083	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10
086	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10
073	/10	/10	/10	/10	/10

Section 3 CROPS HARVESTED IN THE LAST 12 MONTHS — Con.

• Were any of these FIELD CROPS harvested in the last 12 months?	None	How many ACRES were harvested in the last 12 months? (a)	How many POUNDS were harvested in the last 12 months? (b)	How many POUNDS were sold in the last 12 months? (c)	What was the VALUE of sales in the last 12 months? (d)
4. Cassava	<input type="checkbox"/>	078	/10	080	081
5. Dry beans	<input type="checkbox"/>	082	083	084	085
6. Dry corn	<input type="checkbox"/>	086	/10	086	089
7. Sorghum for grain	<input type="checkbox"/>	080	087	082	083
8. Sweetpotatoes	<input type="checkbox"/>	084	/10	095	097
9. Tapioca	<input type="checkbox"/>	098	/10	100	101
10. Yam	<input type="checkbox"/>	102	103	104	105
11. Other field crops — Specify	<input type="checkbox"/>	100	107	108	109
			/10		

• Were any of these VEGETABLE CROPS harvested in the last 12 months?

None	How many ACRES were harvested in the last 12 months? (a)	What was the VALUE of sales in the last 12 months? (b)	
12. Cabbage	<input type="checkbox"/>	110	/10
13. Carrots	<input type="checkbox"/>	112	/10
14. Celery	<input type="checkbox"/>	114	/10
15. Cucumbers	<input type="checkbox"/>	118	/10
18. Eggplant	<input type="checkbox"/>	118	/10
17. Green beans	<input type="checkbox"/>	120	/10
18. Lettuce	<input type="checkbox"/>	122	/10
19. Okra	<input type="checkbox"/>	124	/10
20. Onions	<input type="checkbox"/>	126	/10
21. Peppers	<input type="checkbox"/>	128	/10
22. Spinach	<input type="checkbox"/>	130	/10
23. Squash	<input type="checkbox"/>	132	/10
24. Tomatoes	<input type="checkbox"/>	134	/10
25. Other vegetable crops — Specify	<input type="checkbox"/>	135	/10
		137	/10

• FRUITS AND NUTS

26. Are there any fruit and nut trees or plants on this piece today or were any harvested in the last 12 months? 138 1 Yes 2 No — Skip to item 39

27. How much land is in bearing and nonbearing fruit trees and plants today?

None	How many trees or plants are not of bearing age? (a)	How many trees or plants are of bearing age? (b)	How much was harvested in the last 12 months? (c)	How many were sold in the last 12 months? (d)	What was the value of sales in the last 12 months? (e)
28. Avocados	<input type="checkbox"/>	141	Number 142	143	144
29. Bananas	<input type="checkbox"/>	145	Hills	148	Fruits
30. Coconuts	<input type="checkbox"/>	161	Number	152	Bunches
31. Grapefruits	<input type="checkbox"/>	158	Number	157	Nuts
32. Limes and lemons	<input type="checkbox"/>	161	Number	162	Pounds
33. Mangoes	<input type="checkbox"/>	166	Number	163	Pounds
34. Oranges	<input type="checkbox"/>	171	Number	167	Fruits
35. Papayas	<input type="checkbox"/>	176	Number	172	Pounds
36. Pineapples	<input type="checkbox"/>	181	Number	177	Pounds
37. Plantains	<input type="checkbox"/>	188	Hills	182	Boxes
38. Other fruits, nuts, and tree crops — Specify	<input type="checkbox"/>	191		188	Bunches
				184	190
					195

188	Square feet under cover	189	Acres	190	What was the value of sales in the last 12 months?
		197		/10	188

Section 4 LAND USE IN THE LAST 12 MONTHS

Land is to be reported in **ONLY ONE CATEGORY**. If two or more uses were made of the same land, report in the **FIRST** category that applies.

1. How many acres were in crops harvested in the last 12 months? (Can be obtained by adding the acres of the various crops reported in section 3, items 1 through 39. However, if more than one crop was harvested from the same land, count this land only once for this item.) None

189	Acres
200	/10
201	/10
202	/10
203	/10
204	/10

2. How many acres were in other cropland? (Include cropland pasture, crop failure, idle and fallow cropland, and cropland used for soil improvement crops.)

3. How many acres were in other pasture or grazing land? (Include woodland pasture; do not include cropland pasture.)

4. How many acres were in woodland? (Do not include woodland pasture.)

5. How many acres were in other uses? (Include house lots, barn lots, lanes, roads, ditches, ponds, and wasteland.)

6. **TOTAL LAND** (Add entries in items 1 through 5. This total should equal the entry in section 2, item 5.) /10

None	Number	
	205	

7. How many wells are on this place?

Section 5 LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY ON THIS PLACE NOW AND NUMBER SOLD IN THE LAST 12 MONTHS

* Do you or anyone else have any of the following livestock, regardless of ownership, on this place or were any sold from this place in the last 12 months?

1. Horses and colts, including ponies
 2. Mules, asses, and burros of all ages
 3. Sheep and lambs of all ages
 4. Goats and kids of all ages
 5. Hogs and pigs of all ages, including sows and boars (Must equal sum of a and b below.)
 a. Pigs less than 8 months old
 b. Hogs and pigs 8 months old or older
 6. Cattle and calves of all ages (Must equal sum of e, b, c, and d below.)
 e. Cows, including heifers that have calved
 b. Heifers and heifer calves 1 year old or older (Do not include heifers that have calved.)
 c. Bulls, bull calves, steers, and steer calves 1 year old or older
 d. Calves less than 1 year old

None	How many are on this place now?	How many were sold in the last 12 months?	What was the value of sales in the last 12 months?
	(a)	(b)	(c)
208	207	208	
209	210	211	
212	213	214	
215	216	217	
216	218	220	
221	222	223	
224	225	226	
227	228	228	
230	231	232	
233	234	235	
238	237	238	
239	240	241	

* Do you or anyone else have any of the following poultry, regardless of ownership, on this place or were any sold from this place in the last 12 months?

7. Chickens (hens, pullets, roosters, broilers, etc.)
 a. How many are 5 months old or older?
 8. Turkeys, ducks, geese, and other poultry

None	How many are on this place now?	How many were sold in the last 12 months?	What was the value of sales in the last 12 months?
	(a)	(b)	(c)
242	243	244	
245			
248	249	250	

9. How many dozens of chicken eggs were sold from this place in the last 12 months?

10. How many quarts of milk were sold from this place in the last 12 months?

Section 6 SELECTED EXPENDITURES IN THE LAST 12 MONTHS

* How much did you spend for each of the following in the last 12 months?

1. Machine hire and customwork
 2. Wages and salaries paid to employees or hired farmworkers (Do not include housework or contract construction work. Include cash payments only.)
 3. Feed purchased for livestock and poultry (Include cost of grain, feed, concentrates, and roughages; also amount paid for grinding and mixing feed.)
 4. Insecticides, fungicides, and herbicides
 5. Fertilizers and manure purchased
 6. Livestock and poultry purchased

None	Dollars only	
	261	262
	\$	
	265	
	\$	
	267	
	\$	
	268	
	\$	
	269	
	\$	
	270	
	\$	

Section 7 EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES USED ON THIS PLACE IN THE LAST 12 MONTHS

1. How many of the following are on this place? (Include all specified equipment on this place today, regardless of ownership, provided it is in operating condition.)

None	Number
261	
262	
263	

a. Tractors of all kinds

b. Motortrucks

c. Automobiles

2. Do you have the following on this place?

a. Electricity 264 1 Yes 2 No
 b. Piped running water 265 1 Yes 2 No

Section 8 OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS

The following questions are about the FARM OPERATOR.

1. Do you live on this place (the acres entered in section 2, item 57) 266 1 Yes 2 No

2. In what year did you begin to operate this place? 267 _____ Year

3. Where were you born? 268 1 Virgin Islands 3 Elsewhere — *Specify* _____
 2 Puerto Rico

4. How old were you on your last birthday? 269 _____ Years old

5. Is your main occupation agricultural or nonagricultural? 270 1 Agricultural 2 Nonagricultural

6. OFF FARM WORK — How many days did the operator work 4 hours or more off this place in the last 12 months? (Include work at a nonfarm job, business, or on someone else's farm. (Exclude exchange farm work.) 271 1 None 4 100—149 days
 2 1—49 days 5 150—199 days
 3 50—99 days 6 200 days or more

Section 9 ENUMERATOR'S RECORD

1. Who furnished the information in this report? 272 1 Operator 4 Hired laborer
 2 Landlord 5 Neighbor
 3 Wife or a member of 6 Other — *Specify* _____
 the operator's family

2. Remarks (Make any remarks needed in regard to this place, the owner or operator, the crops cultivated, or the livestock on this place.)

3. Location of land	a. Island	b. Quarter or city	c. ED number
4. Certified by	Enumerator's signature		Date
5. Checked by	Supervisor's signature		Date

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